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FOREST FIRES PUT OUT

The Longed-For Rain Comes at Last.

GENERAL IN THE NORTHWEST.

At Some Places It Was a Heavy Downpour Doing Considerable Damage—Snow Fell in Colorado—All the Forest Fires in Wisconsin and Michigan Put Out. Long Drouth Broken

DENVER, Sept. 8.—This city and vicinity was visited by a severe storm shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday evening, rain falling in torrents, accompanied by hail and lightning. One house was struck by lightning and slightly damaged, and the movement of streetcars greatly interfered with by rushing water and accumulating sand. In five minutes 0.23 inches of rain fell and the total precipitation for 35 minutes was 0.56.

At Erie a portion of the Burlington roadbed was washed away, but was quickly repaired. Streets were flooded with water. Snow fell in the mountains about Central City. At Golden and Idaho Springs, railway tracks were covered with sand and gravel, and trains were delayed several hours. No serious damage is reported.

Forest Fires Checked.

CUMBERLAND, Wis., Sept. 8.—The first rain for many weeks fell here yesterday, threatening the progress of the forest fires, and relieving present apprehensions. The relief committee for fire sufferers report new cases of destitution still coming from country districts where the condition of things is truly terrible.

Rain All Over Michigan.

ESCANABA, Mich., Sept. 8.—The forest fires that have been raging for some time in this section have been extinguished by a steady downpour of rain that has been falling since 7 o'clock last night. A great deal of property was in danger of destruction. Rain is reported falling all over the peninsula.

Rain Fell for Four Hours.

SAGINAW, Mich., Sept. 8.—The most severe electrical storm experienced here in years, began at 7:30 yesterday evening and continued four hours. The rain fell in torrents, cellars filled up, sewers overflowed and the water is nearly two feet deep on all downtown business streets. Consider the damage has been done.

Heavy Storm, Wind and Rain.

BAY CITY, Mich., Sept. 8.—A heavy storm, wind and rain, accompanied by thunder and lightning, visited this section last night extinguishing all the forest fires. Thomas Lardo, a railroad switchman, was struck by lightning and fatally injured.

Forest Fires All Out.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 8.—Reports from Plainfield, Green Lake, Necedah, Green Bay, Hurley, Junction City, Grand Rapids and other cities indicate that the heavy rainfall has broken the drouth and effectually quenched forest fires.

PRIZE FIGHT REPRODUCED

Six Round Go Between Corbett and Peter Courtney of New Jersey

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—James J. Corbett fought Peter Courtney of New Jersey six hot rounds yesterday at the Edison laboratory at Orange, N. J. It was witnessed by about 15 men and every move of the pugilists was reproduced on Mr. Edison's Kinetoscope. There was nothing but the light took place in a room 12 feet square, the walls of which were padded.

The rounds averaged about 1 minute and 30 seconds each and there was a wait of from one minute and a half to two minutes between each. Courtney was full of business and rushed Corbett for all he was worth during the first round, when it came to a clinch Corbett would fight him off, but a gamer man never faced the champion. In the third round Corbett knocked his man down, and could doubtless have put him out if he had chosen. Every round was fast and furious, and it was not until the sixth round that Corbett put his man to sleep.

EXPRESS TRAIN DITCHED

An Open Switch Causes a Disaster on the Santa Fe

RATON, N. M., Sept. 8.—The California express, westbound, on the Santa Fe, was ditched at Dillon Junction, two miles south of here, yesterday evening. The engine, baggagecar, mailcar and expresscar are a complete loss. The engines lies on its side, 20 feet from the track, half buried in the mud.

The following are the injured:

Engineer Pat Doyle, cut about the head and bruised in the hip and shoulder.

Fireman Joe Meaden, slightly bruised about the head and body.

Mail Clerk C. K. Balbridge, bruised about the face and body, left leg badly crushed, may be amputated.

Mail Clerk H. G. Russell, several cuts about the head.

The cause of the wreck was an open switch.

Smugglers Captured.

ST. CLAIR, Mich., Sept. 8.—John Jacobs and John Green, said to be members of a gang of smugglers with headquarters at Windsor, were arrested at 2:30 a. m. The prisoners crossed the river in a rowboat with two trunks and about 600 pounds of opium and were nabbed by detectives, who had been laying in wait for them. The opium was obtained in Toronto. The capture is believed to be an important one, as the prisoners are thought to be experienced hands in the importing business with many big consignments of poppy juice to their credit in the past.

Whisky Seized For Debt.

OWENSBORO, Ky., Sept. 8.—The Sheriff levied on 80 barrels of old Daviess county whisky in free bonded warehouse belonging to P. H. Heffron of Chicago for the Glenmore Distilling company to secure payment of $7,635.35 on account.

Charged With Murder.

RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 8.—Charles Rowan of Centerville, the marshal who shot and killed Rufus Brumfield on Saturday last, was charged with murder on the verdict by the coroner. Rowan is in jail here.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

While There Is Not Much Improvement, There Is Nothing Discouraging

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: The business outlook is much like an April day, with alternate clouds and sunshine. In some branches strong improvement still continues, while in others trade is diminishing. Strikes lessen for the time the working force perhaps as much as it is otherwise increased, but the strike of the garment makers spreads so rapidly that an early end is considered certain, while the strikes in the cotton mills have advanced process so much that a settlement is thought not distant.

The government crop report is expected to foreshadow a great loss in corn, while other observers believe reports materially exaggerated and estimates of the yield range all the way from 1,500,000,000 to 1,700,000,000. This uncertainty affects business prospects to some extent, and an advance of half a cent the past week has followed receipts not half those of the same week last year. Wheat receipts have been 5,077,157 bushels, against 4,550,127 last year, and yet the price advanced half a cent, although Atlantic exports were only 1,158,671 bushels against 2,111,644 last year. Pork advanced 25 cents per barrel and lard 25 cents per 100, as smaller estimates of the corn supply were entertained.

The first bills against spot cotton of the new crop have appeared and The Financial Chronicle estimates the yield at 8,000,000 to 9,000,000 bales, its record of last year's crop being 7,527,411 bales, though late in the year some prophets predicted only 6,500,000 bales. To all appearance the new crop will exceed the maximum world's consumption of America, of which the stock carried over Sept. 1 here and abroad, was 1,589,484 bales.

The sales of wool have fallen to 4,115,100 pounds, of which about 1,000,000 pounds actually belonged to the previous week, against 7,616,900 in 1892, and domestic fine wool this week sold about 1 cent at Boston, although Australian has advanced 1 1/2 cents with stronger foreign markets.

Failures in August aggregated liabilities of $10,219,177, of which $172,30 were in manufacturing and $978,13 in trading concerns. During the week the failures were 215 in the United States against 220 last year, and 17 in Canada against 23 last year.

NO PROSPECT OF A SETTLEMENT

The Strikers in Mass Meeting at Cooper Union Decide to Stay Out

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—A mass meeting of strikers was held in Cooper Union last night. It was a demonstration made by garment makers and operatives in the clothing trades against the "sweating" system. The hall was crowded and a determination was expressed not to return to work until the system was abolished.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, denounced the sweating system as "damnable and accursed." "We must have victory or we will die for it," said Mr. Gompers excitedly.

John Swinton said the strike was a fight for life and death against the plunderers and the multitude. He believed in strikes. The law could not be depended upon because the judges were corrupt. The church was cringing to the money power and the press was arrayed against the striker. The plutocratic republic was failure and Mr. Swinton ended by denouncing President Cleveland as a Hangman Jack Ketch of the White House.

Resolutions were passed expressing the determination of the strikers to continue the struggle until they secured more wages, less hours of labor and better factory accommodations.

The clothing contractors met last night and decided to form an association. The six they can not afford to give the wages demanded by the strikers. There will be another conference between the contractors and strikers.

Depew Seeks a Office.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—A special dispatch from London to the Herald says: Chauncey M. Depew was seen at the Hotel Savoy. When asked whether he would accept the Republican nomination for governor of the state of New York he said: "I am not a candidate for the nomination. Before I left New York leading men of the different factions of the Republican party called upon me and said if I would accept no other name would be in nomination. I at that time positively declined. Since then I have received a large number of letters and cablegrams on the subject."

Circus Fire.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Sept. 8.—Yesterday at Gibson City United States Marshal Bruton seized Adam Forepaugh's circus on a writ of attachment issued by Judge Allen of the United States circuit court by George Compe, the chief musician, who filed a suit for $10,000 damages in the court here for personal injuries received at the hands of the proprietors of the show, whom he alleges brutally assaulted him and set a hound on him at Alma, Kan., and disabled him for life. He claimed the circus was going to leave the state.

Two Farmers Instantly Killed.

WALDEN, N. Y., Sept. 8.—Joseph Amidon and William Amidon, father and his brother, residents of Elmira, N. Y., who were in a buggy, went driving yesterday and were struck by a train on the south bridge branch of the New York and New England railroad and instantly killed. The bodies were thrown over 100 feet and were mangled in a terrible manner. The wagon was demolished and found 40 feet from the track. The horses were not injured.

Crew Saved.

HALIFAX, Sept. 8.—The British steamer St. Pierre which has just arrived here from Newfoundland brings the crew of the Cook Arctic excursion steamer Miranda, which was abandoned in a sinking condition on Aug. 23, last.

Strikers Sent to Jail.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 8.—Judge Baker yesterday began the trial of the late railroad strikers, arrested for violating a federal injunction. Arthur Dishong of Hammond was sent to jail for 20 days, the others were fortured.

One Farmer Kills Another.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 8.—Michael Sobowski and George Hill, farmers quarreled yesterday over the contract of Sobowski's daughter. After a violent altercation Sobowski shot Hill instantly dead.

MISUSED THE MONEY

Affidavits Charging Irregularities With School Funds.

TWO WERE MADE YESTERDAY

State School Commissioner Carson in Receipt of One From Champaign and the Other From Guernsey County—Damages Done by Blasting—Fell Dead at a Table—Other Ohio State Items.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 8.—State School Commissioner Carson yesterday received two affidavits charging misappropriation of public school funds. One comes from Wayne township, Champaign county, and is signed by L. S. McMillen, Frank Johnson, W. P. Nuberry, H. E. Black, S. E. Hildreth, Hiram McClellan, W. R. Shaul and C. M. Graham. They charge that a bequest made to district No. 5 is being unlawfully held and used by the officers of the district, that the board is employed three of its own members for compensation, as a building committee, and that the district officers have held public funds without bond. Commissioner Carson will appoint an agent to make an investigation.

The other case comes from Oxford township, Guernsey county. The affidavit is signed by T. M. Henry and J. E. and W. P. Hanna. It simply states that they have reason to believe that the school funds there are in danger of being unlawfully expended. This will be sent back with a request that it be made more specific.

New Incorporations.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 8.—Articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state yesterday as follows: Young Men's Catholic Benevolent society, Toledo, Brooklyn Driving Park club, South Brooklyn, $10,000; O. D. Myers, Cleveland, $300; Household Money company, Cincinnati, $50,000; A. O. H. Division One of Butler county by Hamilton Mansfield Baptist association, Londonville.

Sailing on Fictitious Line.

MARTIN'S FERRY, O., Sept. 8.—William Moffat, a Martin's Ferry glass worker, sues for $600 damages from the Bellaire, Bridgeport and Martin's Ferry electric railway because he was put off a car while returning from Wheeling Creek during the mining troubles. Moffat paid his fare and pulled the bell cord to stop the car for a lady.

Damage Done by Blasting.

IRONTON, O., Sept. 8.—C. C. Clarke, president of the Iron railroad, has a big force of men in the Ohio river blasting large rocks so that the Chesapeake and Ohio and Iron railroad transfer can cross the river. Considerable damage was done to a transfer barge. At one time this week the transfer was stuck on rocks for 40 hours.

Went to Sleep on the Track.

ZANESVILLE, O., Sept. 8.—John Daily, a potter of Crooksville, met a terrible death near that place. Daily went to sleep on the Columbus, Sandusky and Hocking railway track, and the early morning train ran over him, splitting his head open and grinding his body to pieces.

Fell Dead at the Table.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Sept. 8.—Mrs. John Howell, living in Harrison township, dropped dead at the breakfast table of heart disease. She leaves a husband and 13 children. Mrs. Howell weighed almost 300 pounds and was well known.

Burglarized for the Third Time.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Sept. 8.—Burglars entered C. W. Kerr's general merchandise store at Kerr's this county last night and got away with $60 worth of goods. This store has been burglarized three times during the present year.

A Carpenter's Fall.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Sept. 8.—Jacob Bloser of Lincoln, a bridge carpenter for the Hocking Valley road, slipped from a bridge near Hinton and fell to the ground 40 feet, sustaining internal injuries and breaking his right arm.

Accident on the Fair Grounds.

NORWALK, O., Sept. 8.—King Graham, son of W. W. Graham of this city, a nephew of General John C. Black, was seriously injured at the Huron county fair grounds by a runaway team.

An Old Lady Killed by Cars.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 8.—Mrs. Lucinda Box, aged 70, residing near Low Ville, while crossing the Pennsylvania tracks, was struck by a freight train and instantly killed.

Walked Out of a Second Story Window.

HAMPDEN JUNCTION, O., Sept. 8.—Harry C. Alexander got out of bed and walked out of a second story window, falling 18 feet on a brick pavement. He was not seriously hurt.

Valuable Horse Cremated.

DELPHOS, O., Sept. 8.—The barn of William Reid at Fort Jennings was destroyed by fire. A valuable stallion was burned. Loss, $1,500.

Missing For More Than a Week.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Sept. 8.—George Barr of Osborn has been missing for more than a week.

INDIANS BURNED TO DEATH

Their Dead Bodies Furnish Food for Wolves and Buzzards.

POKEGAMA, Minn., Sept. 8.—A courier brings the report that the bodies of 23 Chippewa Indians, bucks, squaws and pappooses, lie upon the baked sands between here and Opstead, a small settlement on the eastern shores of Lac Mille Lacs.

They are scattered over 10 miles of country and will in all probability prove food for wolves and buzzards, as the country where they died is too far from civilization for burial ceremonies. The Indians left their reservation two months ago and built a hunting lodge along one of the forks of Shadbridge creek. Chief Wawonta was the "big chief" of the party, and he perished with his followers. Twenty three bodies were counted in a distance of few miles.

Over a Century Old.

BROOKVILLE, Ind., Sept. 8.—The oldest man in the Whitewater valley is in the county poorhouse. His name is John Bergst, and he was born in Hamburg, July 11, 1794.

SUFFERING OF FISHERMEN

Hardships Endured by Those Along the Baltic Sea

LONDON, Sept. 8.—A dispatch from Helsingfors, capital of Finland, tells the story of dreadful sufferings experienced a few days ago by men employed in the Baltic fisheries. The fishing fleets were all at sea when a terrible gale sprang up, forcing the boats to run for shelter. Some of the craft reached harbors of refuge and there rode out the storm.

Light of them however lost their bearings and ran on the Noorpes islands, where the tremendous seas soon pounded them to pieces. The islands are principally desolate rocks whose frowning jagged fronts menace the destruction of anything that is caught ashore upon them. As the seas swept over the wrecked fishing boats before the latter broke up they carried away 15 fishermen whose bodies, concealed by the raging waters and the spume of the sea, were never afterward seen.

Those left on the boats knew that their vessels were doomed and made what few preparations were possible to get ashore. There seemed to be only one chance in a hundred of their reaching a place of safety, but this chance they took and landed on one of the islets most completely exhausted. For three days the storm raged with unabated fury and the men who were without food were exposed to its full force.

At the end of the three days a passing vessel was sighted and in response to the fishermen's signals she ran under the lee of the island and sent boats to take off the shipwrecked men. In the meantime two of the fishermen had succumbed to their terrible sufferings and their bodies were left on the island. The living men were in a pitiable condition. Several of them were unconscious when found and it is feared that some of them will die.

A Few Rather Mysterious Dead.

ANDERSON, Ind., Sept. 8.—Mrs. William Weimer is dying from injuries inflicted by her husband last night. In a fit of temper superinduced by over indulgence in his bad habit he choked pounded and dragged his wife for a half hour. A neighbor and two policemen finally overpowered the maniac and landed him in jail. Mrs. Weimer was black and blue all over and big pieces of flesh were torn from her face and arms by the madman. He also demolished the household furniture, broke all the windows which he ran into the street stark naked and was captured.

War Still Rages in Brazil.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—A special dispatch from Buenos Ayres says: A correspondent in Rio Janeiro, Brazil, sends word that the federalists in the provinces of Rio Grande do Sul have taken Rio Grande City and killed the garrison. The town of Melo Gragoy is full of revolutionists who are preparing to cross into Rio Grande do Sul and join General Saraiva and raise the light. They declare that they will raise the flag of the monarchy upon their arrival.

Three Men Fall Eighty Five Feet.

DUNS FERRY, N. Y., Sept. 8.—A scaffold on which three men were working on the Westminster school fell from the ground toll yesterday. The three men were Conserve Quick, Robert Brown and Austin Crook, were thrown to the ground. Quick's back was broken and he can not live. Brown was fatally injured internally and Crook had both legs broken.

Burial of the Count of Paris.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The Comte de Paris died at the Stowe House. His London residence, at 7 o'clock. The disease from which he suffered was gangrene in both pleura, and the cause of the stomach but it will probably require an autopsy to determine the exact cause of his death.

One Family Saved.

ST. LOUIS, Mich., Sept. 8.—John Freeman, his wife and three children, who were reported dead at Sandstone, have been found alive and well. They went into the Kettle river and saved their lives.

Cholera Fiends.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 8.—Cholera is raging in the town and province of Nizhni Novgorod. In Russian Poland there are 1,000 fresh cases of cholera and 500 deaths from that disease on an average per week.

Murder Over a Game of Cards.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Sept. 8.—John W. Gibson was shot and mortally wounded by James Lewis over a game of cards. Lewis fled but was captured, and refused to give $500 bail.

Too Many Peaches.

VALPARAISO, Ind., Sept. 8.—Daniel Anderson, aged 19, of Hobart, died suddenly from eating too many peaches.

Hog Cholera.

KOKOMO, Ind., Sept. 8.—The worst epidemic of hog cholera ever known here is now raging in this county.

Indications.

Showers southeast winds.

THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Cattle Markets for September 7.

Pittsburg.

CATTLE—Prime $5 00@5 25, good $4 60@4 90, tidy butchers $4 00@4 30, common fair $3 50@3 80, fair light steers $3 25@3 60, bull, stags and bologna cows $2 50@3 00, fresh cows and springers $20 00@35 00. HOGS—Philadelphias $6 40@6 50, Yorkers and mixed $6 20@6 30, stags and rough $5 25@5 60. SHEEP—Extra $3 00@3 40, good $2 40@2 60, common $1 50@1 80. LAMBS—$6 00@6 30.

Toledo.

WHEAT—Nominal and September 62c, October 63c, December, 64 7/8c, May 67c. CORN—No 2 mixed 40c, No 2 white 41c. RYE—Cash 47c. CLOVERSEED—Prime cash 5.20, October $5 30, December $5 35, February $5 47.

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—Nominal. CORN—Nominal. CATTLE—Selected butchers $3 85@4 25, fair to medium $3 00@3 75, common $2 00@2 75. HOGS—Selected packing and shipping butchers $6 10@6 25, packing, $6 00@6 10, common to rough $5 75@6 00. SHEEP—$1 00@3 50. LAMBS—$1 75@4 60.

Chicago.

HOGS—Selected butchers $6 40@6 50, packing $6 30@6 40. CATTLE—Prime steers $5 00@5 25, others $4 00@4 90, cows and bulls $1 00@4 00. SHEEP—$1 00@3 20. LAMBS—$4 00@5 30.

New York.

CATTLE—$4 50@5 20. SHEEP—$1 50@3 60. LAMBS—$4 00@6 00.

LADIES' CLUBS.

Lima Has a Number Both Musical and Literary.

The Lists of Membership to the Different Organizations and When They will Resume Their Meetings.

The Argonauts Chautauqua Circle organized in 1879 and is the oldest C. L. S. C. in existence, save one. In many respects it differs from other circles as it is almost a family affair, each mother bringing her daughters in as soon as they are old enough to take up the work. The list of workers is as follows: Mesdames Geo. Vicary, Chas. McClay, Francis M. Baxter, T. K. Jacobs, Henry A. Moore, Martha J. Ballard, C. M. Hughes, John F. Brotherton, O. W. Smith, D. Rumple, J. B. Townsend, Ralph Warner, Misses Belle Hughes, Mayme Brotherton, Ethel Smith, Margaret and Mildred Rumple and Mayme Mitchell. Their hour of meeting is seven o'clock each Monday eve. Their first one this year will be held the first Monday in October.

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The West End Whist Club is composed of Messrs and Mesdames J. O. Ohler, I. S. Motter, C. F. Lufkin, E. C. Lufkin, C. H. Cole and J. W. Van Dyke. Their first meeting will be held the first Saturday evening in October, and continue during the winter on Saturday evenings.

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The Kooking Klub is a merry crowd of maidens who meet on Friday evenings, twice a month, and serve dainty meals. The following names are enrolled: Misses Caroline Agerter, Dora Bradley, Harriet Bertyman, Marion Chesebro, Mary Thompson, Carrie Curtis, Ollie Grafton, Eda Ballard, Edna Steffens, Lucy Reilly, Roberta Brotherton, Nannie Francis and Gertrude Hughes.

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The Sappho Musical Club meets every two weeks, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Their first musicale this year will be held October 4th at the home of Mrs. M. E. Sealts. The officers for this year are: Pres., Mrs. Walton E. Clark; Vice Pres., Mrs. R. J. Thompson; Sec'y, Mrs. M. S. Thompson. The rest of the members are: Mesdames D. Bell, W. W. Butler, D. M. Dicker, I. G. Longworth, A. T. McDonell, J. C. McCullough, E. B. Mitchell, J. O. Ohler, W. H. Standish, R. A. Truesdale, A. F. Wheeler, E. V. Wells, T. S. Ballet, C. H. Cole, W. A. Campbell, L. B. Chesebro, R. D. Kahle, L. H. Kibby, C. F. Lufkin, W. L. Mackenzie, A. C. Reichelderfer, M. E. Sealts, M. L. Johnston, E. C. Lufkin, W. L. Porter and S. S. Wheeler.

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The Buckeye is the name of a flourishing cooking club meeting every two weeks during the winter, entertaining their husbands by giving them a feast at one of their homes. They meet on Wednesdays, and those taking part are: Mesdames George Hall, Tell Agerter, R. M. Garretson, M. C. McCullough, R. H. Obersole, E. E. Linn, R. M. Elliot, F. C. McCoy, C. D. Crites, Robert Tolan, Louis Hall, Willard Price, Harry Harper and J. L. Smith.

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Arbutus C. L. S. C. with clover (industry) for their emblem are doing a vast amount of work each year, meeting each Monday evening during the fall, winter and spring. Their officers are: Mrs. W. A. Campbell, pres.; Mrs. Laura Owens, vice pres.; and Mrs. C. H. Cole, sec'y. The following names are enrolled: Mesdames I. O. Ohler, Walter Standish, Wm. Mackenzie, M. S. Thompson, C. F. Lufkin, J. C. Thomson, E. C. Lufkin, J. B. Vail, S. W. Van Cleve, M. E. Sealts, George W. Myers, James Langan, J. Y. Marmon, Laura Owen, S. A. Baxter, A. C. Reichelderfer, J. N. Harrington, M. C. Baxter and J. C. Linneman.

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The Chrysanthemums, a delightful literary society which has made American history its chief study, meets every Monday evening during the season. The first meeting this year will be held the third week in October. The membership is as follows: Mesdames Ina Agerter, Margaret Agerter, Blanche Boone, Edna Du Gray, Minnie Garretson, Edith McCullough, Josephine Price, Janie Tolan, Grace Catt, Grace Crites, Isabelle De Miller, Lou Du Gray, Rose Harper, Bess Oyler, Minnie Sandford and Blanche Wheeler.

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The Ladies' Whist Club meets every two weeks. Mesdames E. C. Lufkin, J. C. Thompson, W. A. Campbell, M. S. Thompson, C. F. Lufkin, M. E. Sealts, G. W. Myers, Wm. Mehaffey, J. B. Vail, C. H. Cole, S. W. Van Cleve, J. Wise, W. B. Richie, I. S. Motter, J. O. Linneman and J. W. Van Dyke are the players.

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The Epicureans are young girls who are becoming proficient in the art of cooking and serve dainty meals twice a month on Saturday afternoons. The number is limited to twelve. At present there are the following young ladies taking part: Misses Ella Bressler, Lou Boysell, Lela Bowers, Mayme Elder, Lou Dalzell, Grace Prophet, Carrie Thompson, Carrie Cory, Anna Moore, Grace Bethards and Olive Haines.

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The Ladies' Whist Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Wm. Mehaffey yesterday afternoon.

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Hover's grove on Wednesday evening held a merry crowd composed of the following: Misses Bert Jones and friend, Bessie Knouff, Carrie Cory, Carry Thompson, Florence Faurot, Lula Dalzell, Hallie Harlowe, and Carrie Benn and Messrs. James Gorman, Sanford Dalzell, Mike Purtscher, Steve Churchill, Scott McGinnis, James Sullivan, Edwin Kirk and Harry McDonald.

"Shaft No. 2" to-night

G. E. Bluem

Returned yesterday from New York and reports that he will have many good bargains to offer the trade. It

Three Children Burned to Death.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 8.—In Perry county last night John Spain, a farmer, went to prayer meeting with his wife, leaving their three small children locked up at home. When they returned the house was in ashes and in the debris was found the charred bones of the children.

WANTED.

LOST—A five dollar gold piece in the form of a stick pin with chain attached. The date 1894 on one side, the monogram W. H. H. and the date March 23, 89, on the other side. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to MRS. WM. H. HARLMAN, 509 So. Ch'n'n'n.

FOUND—At Hover's lake, a ladies purse. Owner call at 340 East High street.

FOR SALE—Lunch counter, 24 feet of oak counter and flat oak slide board with large mirror, very cheap to day. 134 West High street.

WANTED—Girl to do housework. Apply at 547 North West street.

WANTED—A good girl. Good wages, no washing. Difference required. MRS. W. B. MCFARLEY, 702 West North street.

FOR RENT—A house of six rooms, already furnished. House thoroughly clean and well furnished throughout. Location good. Will rent cheap. Enquire at this office.

FOR SALE—One span of No. 1 mare mules, cheap on one year's time. Ed Christen.

PROBATE NOTICE

The following accounts of administrators, executors, guardians, trustees and assignees, have been filed in the Allen County Ohio Probate Court for settlement and will be for hearing, on Monday October 1st 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m.

1. Theodore Handle, executor of Therese Ann Baxter, first account.
2. Philip L. Rousculp, guardian of Hugh S. Boop, minor, third and final account.
3. Philip S. Rousculp, guardian of Oliver C. Boop, minor, third account.
4. Daniel Steele, administrator of George Moser, deceased, first and final account.
5. Edward G. Boyd, guardian of John W. Boyd, minor, first and final account.
6. S. S. Herman, administrator of the estate of Julia Patton, deceased, first and final account.
7. J. G. Hounell, trustee of Chas. Conrad, second and final account.
8. Alfred C. Grebs, assignee of F. N. Hatcher, insolvent, first and final account.
9. Barbara Hanenstein, guardian of Emma Hanenstein, third and final account.
10. John B. Derringer, guardian of Mary Neill, an imbecile, second account.
11. Isaac J. Baker, administrator of the estate of Mary McMillan, first account.
12. Rachel and M. D. Reese, executors of John Reese, deceased, first account.
13. William O. Brollier, administrator of Hannah Custard, deceased, first account.
14. Peter Oberly, administrator of Wm. H. Oberly, deceased, first and final account.
15. Theodore Kellsmith, executor of Matthias Tellinghoff, deceased, first and final account.
16. Isaac Thompson, administrator of the estate of Orlin J. Russell, deceased, first and final account.
17. George Beeler, guardian of G. A. Beeler, insane, first account.
18. Patrick O'Brien, trustee of Michael Cushion, minor, first account.
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of Marion County

For Common Pleas Judge,
WILLIAM T MOONEY,
of Auglaize County

For Member of Congress,
F C LAYTON,
of Auglaize County

For County Commissioner
PETER LEIS,
of Spencer Township

For Surveyor,
JNO C CRONLEY,
of Lima

For Infirmary Director,
THOMAS FITZGERALD
of Lima

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

HEADQUARTERS DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, COLUMBUS, OHIO August 16th 1894.

The Democrats of Ohio are requested to meet in delegate convention in the city of Columbus Ohio on Tuesday and Wednesday Sept 18th and 19th 1894 to place in nomination candidates for the following offices namely

Secretary of State
Judge of Supreme Court
State School Commissioner
Member Board of Public Works

The basis of representation to said convention is one delegate for each 500 or excess fraction of 250 or over of the number of votes cast for Grover Cleveland for President in 1892. All the delegates to the State Convention shall be individually selected by the several counties and reported to the Committee on Credentials as mass delegations will not be recognized.

The Democrats of each and every county are requested to select their local committee and report the same to the Chairman of the State Central Committee on or before Sept 1st. This report should include the names and P O address of the Chairman and Secretary of the Executive or Campaign Committee for the ensuing year.

By order of the Democratic State Central Committee

C D CRITES Chairman
W T WEAR, Secretary

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION

HEADQUARTERS ALLEN COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE
LIMA O Aug 24th 1894

The Democrats of Allen county Ohio are requested to meet in convention at the court house in Lima, Ohio September 15th 1894 at 10 o'clock a m for the purpose of electing 10 delegates to represent Allen county Ohio at the State Convention to be held in Columbus, Ohio September 18th and 19th 1894.

The county delegates elected at previous to the county primary election of this year are the proper delegates to represent their respective townships wards and precincts at this convention.

All Democrats of the county are earnestly requested to attend.

By order of the Allen County Democratic Central Committee

A S GRAHAM Chairman
HARRY KILBY Sec'y

The prominent Republicans are deserting their party in large numbers. The last notable desertion is Senator John B Jones, who in leaving the party says "I have renounced the Republican party, and can no longer be counted as a Republican. My reasons for taking this step are clearly set forth in my letter to Hon Enoch Strother, Chairman of the State Central Committee. I feel that the Republican party is unalterably opposed to the free coinage of silver at the American ratio of 16 to 1, or not at all without the consent of foreign Governments who are to dictate the ratio. I will only vote again for a President who favors free American coinage." The once powerful Republican party is in the season of the sere and yellow leaf, and will soon exist only in the memory of the old inhabitants.

SOUTHERN BUSINESS SENSE

Ex-Speaker Reed, shrewd and sharp-tongued as he is, occasionally puts his foot in his mouth. His remark in a late political diatribe that "the South has no business sense" provokes the following reply from the Louisville *Courier Journal*:

The South has within a few years practically monopolized the trade in certain lines of cotton goods and is annually increasing the volume and the variety of its textile products. It is underselling New England on coarse goods, and in time will undersell it on fine goods. It is putting its own capital freely into new cotton mills. From 1880 to 1890 it trebled the number of its looms. From 1890 to 1894 it has increased them over 50 per cent.

Perhaps that isn't business sense.

In the year ending with June last the exports of the United States increased $44,478,354. Fifteen Southern ports, at which within a few years there have been opened direct lines of trade with foreign ports, furnished $31,751,306 or 71 per cent of this increase. In 1892-93 the increase of direct trade from Southern ports was still larger, amounting to $39,000,000, out of a total increase for the whole United States of $146,000,000. Four years ago the South had direct lines of trade only from Baltimore, New Orleans and Norfolk. It now loads ships for foreign ports at Savannah, Brunswick, Pensacola, Galveston, Mobile, Newport News and Port Royal.

Perhaps that isn't business sense.

A few years ago the Southern cotton planters seemed hopelessly in debt to the cotton factors. It was getting worse every year. Even since the war they had been so poor that they had to borrow money in advance on their crops, and, what with raising nothing but cotton, raising it wastefully, paying big interest, buying on credit, spending more than their profits for food stuffs brought from the North and West, they seemed fairly on the way to bankruptcy. But this year's crop of cotton has been raised more cheaply than last year's and last year's was the cheapest ever known up to that time. Debts have been scaled down amazingly, crops have been diversed, money kept at home and many mortgages lifted.

Perhaps that isn't business sense.

The developments of the iron and coal interests of the South has been the wonder of this generation, and Birmingham is setting the price for Pittsburg on pig iron. The business failures in the South during the panic were relatively fewer than in the West, and the Southern financial institutions came through the trial in better shape. In ten years the wealth of the South, reduced almost to nothing by war and reconstruction, has more than doubled. In ten years the South has increased its expenditures for schools 96.54 per cent. In ten years it has paid off over twenty millions of public debt. And to cap the evidence of its business sense it votes the Democratic ticket right along. And that last is what sours it all for the modern man from Maine.

Business

There is certainly a revival of activity in trade centers. Whether it will be temporary or permanent depends on several things. If merchants manufacturers and stock brokers make up their minds that it is going to be permanent then it will be so.

There is a number of reasons for the present revival of activity. First, the settlement of the tariff, of course. Then the endeavor of the Whisky trust to get all its goods out of bond before the tariff law went into operation made a wave in the dead current. The trust scented the country to borrow money to pay the tax, and that created a movement among many million dollars. This made a show of financial activity. Then too, there will necessarily be a large quantity of new goods bought this autumn by country merchants everywhere. They generally reported their stocks on hand to be smaller this summer than they had been in years. This, however was no sign that more goods had been sold, but the country. It meant that the merchants had prudently abstained from buying what they knew they could not sell.

Now however people must buy. The crops are sufficiently abundant to enable the rural inhabitant to indulge a freshening hope that he will be able to pay his store bills. People generally have worn out their old clothes and their old shoes. Now they must buy now, and the buying will be all the heavier because it has been so light for a year past.

The Electrical Kitchen

The cost of electricity is all that prevents its universal application in nearly every situation where heat and light are wanted. Undoubtedly early in the twentieth century even farmers' wives will do their cooking by electricity. The wear and tear of life that will be saved in that day is incomputable. Electricians ought to work with all their might and enthusiasm to produce electricity cheaply. Then the marvels related in Bulwer's "Coming Race" will be every day events in all families.

Electrical kitchens are making their way slowly. A wealthy man in Brooklyn has his house fitted with one. There is in New York city an electrical dining club, where food is cooked in the new way. It is necessary to have the utensils specially made. A contrivance is attached whereby they can be hooked to the wires. Then the button is pressed. The cook learns just what temperature she wants for boiling, broiling, roasting or baking. That temperature is secured by the strength of the current which may be regulated by a key. The temperature is shown by a thermometer. The knowing just how long it will take to cook a given dish, no more watching required. The cook may go off and play the piano till the time is up.

Meyerbeer.

Meyerbeer was so nervous and "high strung" about his works that when they were in course of preparation or rehearsal or performance he never gave himself or any one else concerned a moment's peace of mind. He was constantly making changes or alterations in the score and would sometimes write a passage in three or four different colored inks in order to try the different effects and then could not make up his mind which was the best. He worried over his opera "L'Africaine," so long delaying, retouching and polishing, even while it was in rehearsal, that the self imposed labor made him ill and he died before the first public performance.—St Louis Globe Democrat.

Land Resources In Utah

This territory has been supposed to be fairly well known, but it is a fact that the best part of it is never yet been opened to settlement. That is because it was used for Indian reservations. It is in the northeastern part of Utah. There are two reservations, the Uintah and the Uncompahgre. Of these there will be opened to settlement and fit for agricultural purposes at least 2,000,000 acres. They are rich and well watered, and in the Strawberry valley and other portions are heavily timbered. In territories like those in the west it is usual to estimate 60 per cent of the land as fit for tillage. The 2,000,000 acres constitute 60 per cent of the whole body of land that will be left after the Indians take their share in severalty. A correspondent of the St Louis Globe Democrat calls attention to the fact that there will be no wild boomer rush when the Utah lands are opened. Civilization has at length found a better way to distribute the lands and it was time. The Uintah and Uncompahgre lands will be sold by description to the highest bidder at not less than $1.75 an acre. Town sites will be platted by the government surveyors to order and sold in lots. Lands that remain unsold after the bidding is over will be opened for homestead entry.

The ground that is unsuitable for farming is much of it adapted to grazing. Tremendous crops of alfalfa two a year made in former times the fortune of many a beef raiser in the Mormon territory. Now the flush days of free pasture and free farms are over but the fertility of the soil is still there and a dozen people will make comfortable livings where one became rich before and that is much better.

Beyond a doubt the opening of these new lands for settlement at the same time she comes into the Union will give Utah such a boom as few young states have had. Nobody will grudge it to her either, for Utah has had an unfortunate reputation ever since her history began owing to the doings of the Mormon gentry. Perhaps her good times will come in a great wave now. Besides their agricultural resources the lands to be thrown open have shown that they possess in fair probability of containing good stores of gold and silver in their mountains and valleys. Coal and asphalt are also found.

A Defender of Suicide

It is to be regretted that a man so brainy and brilliant as Colonel Ingersoll comes forward on the light of defending a man's right to take his life when it is no longer agreeable to him. If he took it when it was no longer agreeable to other people there would be many more suicides than there are now.

Colonel Ingersoll says in substance that, when a person is overwhelmed with the misery of this life and cannot remedy it, then the natural thing and the justifiable thing is for him to get out of life. Quite apart from any theological idea of the sacredness of life and a hereafter Colonel Ingersoll advocates a most weak and cowardly doctrine. There never was a misery so deep, a life so hopelessly helpless that there was not some way out of the trouble. It sounds true to say it but it is the absolute fact that difficulties nobly striven against give us a strength that nothing else will. Man would never have discovered the use of fire if he had not been cold. If when we are cold, we merely cut our throats instead of hustling about and trying to get material to make a fire, we shall be doing the silliest thing possible.

No situation is absolutely hopeless. So long as life is left to us we may be certain that it can yet be of some use to both ourselves and others. Our task is to find out how.

Two Brooklyn burglars lately got an object lesson on robbing drug stores. They were trying to get into one through the transom over the front door. The druggist slept in the rear of the room and heard them. He is a small man but he can think at the rate of about a million vibrations in a second. He slid noiselessly to his big mortar and bottle and poured out a glassful. Then he dodged to one side and waited developments. The burglars were two—a little one and a big one. The big one lifted the little one upon his shoulders so that he could crawl through. He got in then helped the other down. The little one was in front as they approached the counter behind which the druggist who had presence of mind was concealed. The man of medicines dashed a wineglassful of mixture into the face of the small burglar. He howled and dropped. The other leaned over him to see what was the matter. He got glassful on the second. It burned through the glass of the front door yelling like a wildcat. A policeman came up at that moment and caught the latter one.

Mr. C. E. Bohall, W. Union, Minn.

Blood Poison

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FROM THE RANKS.

By CAPTAIN CHARLES KING.

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They had been down skating on the slough, a number of the youngsters and the daughters of the garrison. Rollins was there doing the devoted to Mamie Gray, and already there were gossips whispering that she would soon forget she ever knew such a beau as Jerrold in the new found happiness of another one. Hall was there with the doctor's pretty daughter, and Mrs Hoyt was matron-izing the party, which it would of course, have been incomplete without Alice. She had been skating hand in hand with a devoted young subaltern in the artillery, and poor Armitage, whose leg was unequal to skating had been ruefully admiring the scene. He had persuaded Sloat to go or send and walk with him, and Sloat went, but the hollow mockery of the whole thing became apparent to him after they had been watching the skaters awhile and he got chilled and wanted Armitage to push ahead. The captain said he believed his leg was too stiff for further tramping and would be the better for a rest, and Sloat left him.

Heavens how beautiful she was with her sparkling eyes and radiant color, glowing with the graceful exercise! He sat there on an old log watching the skaters as they flew by him and striving to keep up an impatient interest or an appearance of it, for the other girls. But the red sun was going down, and twilight was on them all of a sudden and he could see nothing but that face and form. He closed his eyes a moment to shut out the too eager glare of the glowing disk taking its last fierce peep at them over the western bluffs, and as he closed them the same vision came back—the picture that had haunted his every living dreaming moment since the beautiful August Sunday in the woodland lane at Sablon. With undying love, with all angelic passion his life was given over to the tall slender maiden he had seen in all the glory of the sunshine and the goldenrod standing with uplifted head, with all her soul shining in her beautiful eyes and thrilling in her voice. Both worshiping and worshiped was Alice Renwick as she sang her hymn of praise in unison with the swelling chorus that floated through the trees from the little brown church upon the hill. From that day she was Queen Alice to him in every thought, and he her loyal faithful knight for weal or woe.

Boom went the sunset gun for up on the parade above them. It was a familiar time, and the skaters were compelled to give up their pastime. Armitage set his teeth at the certainly too devotional attitude of the subaltern as he slowly and ungracefully removed her skates and turned away in that utterly helpless frame of mind which will overtake the strongest men on similar occasions. He had been sitting too long in the cold and was chilled through and stiff, and his wounded leg seemed numb. Leaning heavily on his stout stick, he began slowly and painfully the ascent to the railway and close for the purpose a winding path that was far less steep, though considerably longer, than the sharp climb the girls and their escorts made so lightly.

One after another the glowing faces of the fair skaters appeared above the embankment and their gallants carefully conveyed them across the icy and slippery track to the wooden platform beyond. Armitage toiling slowly up his pathway heard their blithe laughter and thought with no little bitterness that it was a case of out of sight, out of mind, with him as with better men. What sense was there in his long devotion to her? Why stand between her and the far more natural choice of a lover near her years? 'Like unto like' was nature's law. It was flying in the face of Providence to expect to win the love of one so young and fair when others so young and comely craved it. The sweat was beaded on his forehead as he neared the top and came in sight of the platform. Yes they had no thought of him. Already Mrs Hoyt was half way up the wooden stairs, and the others were scattered more or less between that point and the platform at the station. Far down at the south end paced the full dead sentry. There it was an easy step from the track to the boards, and there with much laughter but no difficulty the young officers had lifted their fair charges to the walk. All were chatting gayly as they turned away to tiptoe the wooden causeway from the station to the stairs, and Miss Renwick was among the foremost at the point where it left the platform. Here however she glanced back and then about her, and then bending down began fumbling at the buttons of her boot.

"Oh permit me Miss Renwick," said her eager escort. "I will button it."

"Thanks no. Please don't wait, good people. I'll be with you in an instant."

And so the other girls, absorbed in talk with their respective gallants, pass ed her by and then Alice Renwick again stood erect and looked anxiously but quickly back.

"Oh permit me Miss Renwick," said her eager escort. "I will button it."

"Captain Armitage is not in sight, and we ought not to leave him. He may not find it easy to climb to that platform," she said.

Armitage. Oh he'll come on all right," answered the battleryman, with easy assurance. "Maybe he has gone round by the road. Even if he hasn't, I've seen him make that in one jump many a time—old buffer for his years."

"But his wound may prove too much for that jump now. Ah, there he comes," she answered, with evident relief, and just at the moment, too, the forage cap of the tall soldier rose slowly into view some distance up the track, and he came walking slowly down the sharp curve toward the platform, the same sharp curve continuing on out of sight behind him—behind the high and rocky bluff.

"He's taken the long way up," said the gunner. "Well shall we go on?"

"Not yet," she said, with eyes that were glowing strangely and a voice that trembled. Her cheeks too were paling. "Mr Stuart, I'm sure I heard the roar of a train echoed back from the other side."

"Nonsense, Miss Renwick! There's no train either way for two hours yet."

But she had begun to edge her way back toward the platform and he could not but follow. Looking across the intervening space a rocky hollow 20 feet in depth he could see that the captain had reached the platform and was seeking for a good place to step up, then that he lifted his right foot and placed it on the planking and with his cane and the stiff, wounded left leg strove to push himself on. Had there been a hand to help him, all would have been easy enough. But there was none and the plan would not work. Absorbed in his efforts he could not see Stuart. He did not see that Miss Renwick had left her companions and was retracing her steps to get back to the platform. He heard a sudden dull roar from the rocks across the stream then a sharp, shrill whistle just around the bluff. My God! a train, and the man there alone, helpless deserted! Stuart gave a shout of agony. "Back—roll back over the bank!"

Armitage glanced around determined, gave one mighty effort to throw forward stick slipped on the icy track, and down he went, prone between the glistening rails even as the black, vomiting monster came thundering round the bend. He had struck his head upon the iron and was stunned, motionless, but scrambled to his hands and knees and strove to crawl away. Even as he did so he heard a shriek of anguish in his ears, and with one wild leap Alice Renwick came flying from the platform in the very face of advancing death, and then as instinct her arm clasped about his neck, his strong arms tightly clasping her they were flying side by side bruised, stunned, but safe in a well coming snowdrift half way down the bank.

When Stuart reached the scene, as soon as the engine and some wrecking cars had thundered by, he looked down upon a picture that dispelled any lingering doubt in his mind. Armitage, clasping Queen Alice to his heart, was half rising from the blessed mantle of the snow and she her head upon his broad shoulder was smiling faintly up into his face. Then the glorious eyes closed in a dreamy faint.

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Fort Sibley had its share of sensations that eventful year. Its crowning triumph in the one that followed was the wedding in the early spring. Of all the lovely women there assembled the bride by common consent stood unrivaled—Queen Alice indeed. There was some difference of opinion among authorities as to who was really the finest looking and most soldierly among the throng of officers in the conventional full dress uniform. Many there were who gave the palm to the tall dark, slender lieutenant of cavalry who wore his shoulder knots for the first time on this occasion and who for a man from the ranks seemed to have assumed at home in the drawing room and trying duties of a groomsman. Mrs Maynard, leaning on his arm at a little distance and looking up rapturously in his bronzed features, had no divided opinion. While others had by no means so readily forgotten or forgiven the mad freak that so nearly involved them all in a wretched misunderstanding she had nothing but rejoicing in his whole career. Proud of the gallant officer who had won the daughter whom she loved so tenderly she still believes in the depths of the boundless mother love that no man can quite surpass her soldier son.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The Ohio National Bank of Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff, vs. F I Goodenow et al, Defendants. } Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima Allen county Ohio on

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13th A D 1894

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p m the following described lands and tenements situate in the city of Lima Allen County State of Ohio and described as follows to wit:

Inlot numbers twenty five hundred and seventy five (2575) the south half of inlot number twenty five hundred and seventy six (2576) twenty five hundred and eighty eight (2588) twenty five hundred and eighty nine (2589) twenty five hundred and ninety (2590) twenty five hundred and ninety one (2591) twenty five hundred and ninety two (2592) twenty five hundred and ninety three (2593) twenty five hundred and ninety four (2594) twenty five hundred and ninety five (2595) twenty five hundred and ninety six (2596) the south south half of twenty six hundred and one (2601) twenty six hundred and two (2602) the south half of twenty six hundred and three (2603) twenty six hundred and four (2604) twenty six hundred and five (2605) all in Lima Allen county Ohio and all of south Jackson street in said city except Nos 2 (2) and 3 (3) which front on First street in said city.

Above described inlots are appraised as follows to wit:

No 25 appraised at $200 00
No 576 appraised at $100 00
No 588 appraised at $ 50
No 589 appraised at $ 50
No 590 appraised at $100 00
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No 605 appraised at $ 50 00
No 2 (2) appraised at $100 00
No 3 (3) appraised at $100 00

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County Ohio

Lima Ohio Sept 1st 1894.
Cunningham Mead & Mavee Plaintiff's Attorneys

SHERIFF'S SALE

Case No 8101

The Citizens Loan & Trust Company, Plaintiff, vs. Hoodin Pat, Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas

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Inlot twelve hundred and eighty nine (1289) and the south half of inlot twelve hundred and eighty (1280) all in Hoodin's third addition to the city of Lima Allen county Ohio.

Inlot No 1289 appraised at $ 50 00
South half of Inlot No 1280 appraised at $50 00

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County Ohio

Lima Ohio August 1st 1894.
Irphes & Turner Plaintiff's Attorneys

SPECIAL TERM

OF THE

Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio

The State of Ohio, Allen County ss: } Office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas of Allen County Ohio

By an order duly made and filed in my office by the Hon John F Richie Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County Ohio special term of the Court of Common Pleas of said county is hereby fixed to begin on Monday September 17th 1894 at nine o'clock A M for the trial of civil causes pending in said court.

Said jurors are hereby required to attend such term and to appear on said day at 9 o'clock A M.

Said order also requires all attorneys have ready to present for trial all such cases as may be pending in said Common Pleas Court Room on Monday September 17th 1894 at 9 o'clock A M and assist the Clerk in making an assignment of causes for trial during the first week of said term.

So ordered. Further this is that no cause will be set for trial which cannot be ready for trial by the day the same may be assigned.

In testimony whereof I U M Shappell Clerk of said Court have hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court this 3d of September 1894.

U M SHAPPELL Clerk
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Notice of Appointment

Assignment of William A Corman.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of William A Corman of Allen county Ohio. All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment and creditors will present their claims duly authenticated to the undersigned for allowance.

Dated this 8th day of August A D 1894.

JAMES O OHLER Assignee.

Notice of Appointment

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Nelson B Craig late of Allen county Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of August A D 1894.

MAGGIE I CRAIG Administratrix

Assignee's Notice

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Gardner & Richard of Lima Allen county Ohio. All persons indebted to said assignors will make immediate payment and creditors will present their claims duly authenticated to the undersigned for allowance.

JACOB KISSER Assignee

Lima Ohio August 10th 1894.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Luther M Molly deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Luther M Molly late of Allen county deceased. All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Dated this 7th day of August A D 1894.

R V HITTLE, Admr.
8 28-3w

Administrator's Notice

Estate of Sarah Mc Cullough deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of Sarah Mc Cullough late of Allen county deceased. All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Dated this 11th day of August A D 1894.

AMOS PHELPS

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Thos D Robb, Plaintiff, vs. Leonard Place, Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima Allen county Ohio on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, A D 1894

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p m the following described lands and tenements situate in Shawnee Township Allen county, State of Ohio and described as follows, to wit:

All of the east half of the northwest quarter of section two in township four (4) south of range six (6) east in Allen county Ohio which lies north of the right of way of the Chicago and Atlantic railroad containing 47.50 100 acres of land more or less subject to a right-of way twenty (20) feet wide of Wm S Schofield and others of ingress and egress across said premises as conveyed to them by deed dated February 1 1887, and recorded in volume 60 page 646 of the Records of Deeds of said county.

Appraised at $2,000 00
Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County Ohio

Lima Ohio August 1st, 1894.
Layton & Shawe and W J Copeland Plaintiff's Attorneys

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 8130

Merideth Simmons Plaintiff vs. Elizabeth Bond et al Defendants. } Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima Allen county Ohio on

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13th A D 1894

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p m the following described lands and tenements situate in the city of Lima Allen County State of Ohio and described as follows to wit:

Inlot number fifteen hundred and twenty seven (1527) in Lamison's addition to the city of Lima Ohio.

Appraised at $3 100 00
Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County Ohio

Lima Ohio August 10 1894.
D U Henderson Plaintiff's Attorney

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 7880

Elizabeth S Dewey Plaintiff vs. Elizabeth B Goodenow et al Defendants. } Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima Allen county Ohio on

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 8th A D 1894

between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p m the following described lands and tenements situated in the City of Lima Allen County State of Ohio and described as follows to wit:

A part of inlot number one thousand and twenty (1020) described as follows to wit: Commencing at a point in the west line of inlot one thousand and twenty (1020) in Miller's addition to the Eureka addition to the city of Lima in Allen county Ohio one hundred and thirty (130) feet north of the south west corner of said inlot thence north on said west line forty (40) feet, thence east parallel with the south line of said inlot one hundred and eighty two (182) feet to the west line of that portion of said lot owned by Henry Fuchs thence south on said west line of Henry Fuchs lot forty (40) feet thence west to the place of beginning.

Appraised at $ 00 00

A lot commencing at the northwest corner of inlot ten hundred and twenty (1020) in Miller's addition to the Eureka addition of the city of Lima Ohio, thence south on the west line of said inlot seventy five (75) feet, thence east parallel with the north line of said inlot one hundred and thirty seven (137) feet to a point one hundred (100) feet west of the east line of said inlot, thence north seventy five (75) feet and eight (8) inches to the north line of said inlot, thence west to the place of beginning.

Appraised at $1 400 00
Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County Ohio

Lima Ohio July 31 1894.
Mutz & McIntosh Plaintiff's Attorneys

SHERIFF'S SALE

Case No 5199

C H Breitenstein trustee plaintiff vs. Lucas F Fahrney et al defts. } Allen Pleas Common Pleas

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Common Pleas Court of Allen county Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima Allen county Ohio on

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 15th A D 1894

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p m the following described lands and tenements situate on West Spring street in the city of Lima Allen county State of Ohio and described as follows to wit:

The west half of inlot number one (1) old number new number eleven hundred and thirty one (1131) in Hanna's addition to the city of Lima Ohio.

Appraised at $1,200 00
Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen County Ohio

Lima Ohio August 2d 1894.

Notice of Appointment.

Assignment of Charles L Ackerman.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Charles L Ackerman of Lima Allen county Ohio. All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment and creditors will present their claims according to law duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

Dated this 18th day of August A D 1894.

WALTER T FUNK Assignee
8 13 4wks

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Ellen Gallagher deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of Ellen Gallagher late of Allen county Ohio deceased.

Dated this 18th day of August A D 1894.

A L MANNING

GOLD EAGLE
Lager Beer
The Celebrated John Hauk and Gerke Beer always on hand in kegs and bottles. Family Beer a specialty. Also a full line of Grennaway's Pale Ale, Porter and Stout, delivered to all parts of the city.
C. GEIGER,
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CS
LIMA LINE.

Through Car Line Between Lima and South eastern Ohio

4 Ex Sun	2 Ex Sun	In Effect May 27 1894		1 Ex Sun	3 Ex Sun
A M	A M	Lv	Ar	P M	P M
1 05	8 00	Lima		12 30	9 05
1 08	8 34	Unionville		12 04	8 43
4 06	8 53	St Johns		11 54	8 33
4 25	8 53	Jackson Center		11 34	8 12
4 49	9 19	Quincy		11 08	7 46
5 17	9 47	St Paris		10 40	7 18
6 20	10 53	Ar Springfield Lv		9 35	6 13
6 27	11 00	Lv Springfield Ar		9 26	6 03
6 57	11 31	So Charleston		8 56	5 34
7 09	11 44	So Solon		8 43	5 22
7 23	11 59	Jeffersonville		8 29	5 09
7 47	12 23	Washington C H		8 05	4 40
8 14	12 56	Island Grove		7 36	4 17
8 18	13 58	Greenfield		7 34	4 16
8 19	1 02	Thrifton		7 33	4 13
8 43	1 25	Bainbridge		7 10	3 51
8 45	3 41	Waverley		6 09	2 47
9 48	3 47	Glen Jean		6 08	2 44
10 45	3 41	Ar Jackson Lv		5 10	1 50
A M				A M	
6 00	3 41	Lv Jackson Ar		5 16	8 26
6 23	8 08	Coalton		4 52	8 18
6 40	4 15	Ar Wellston Lv		4 30	8 00
A M	P M			P M	P M

Trains will leave Springfield each Sunday at 7 40 a m and run to Bainbridge and leave Bainbridge at 4 p m.

Train No 1 makes direct connection at Springfield for all points east and west, at St Paris with Pennsylvania lines east and west, at Quincy with Big Four route connection at Lima with O H & L division at 4 00 p m, Detroit & Toledo at 4 00 p m, with C & E and Pennsylvania lines arriving in Chicago at 7 45 p m. This makes several hours at Springfield between central Ohio southeastern Ohio and Chicago and the northwest.

Train 2—through seat and express between Lima and southeastern Ohio.

Train 3 makes quick time between southeastern Ohio and all points north and northwest, arrives Chicago [illegible] a m.

Train number 4 will give you several hours time between Lima and Springfield and Dayton, Pittsburgh, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New York and southeastern points.

For any information call on Ohio Southern agents or write

E F FISH, Gen Pass Agt.

Pittsburgh, Wayne & Chicago Div.
Pennsylvania Lines.
Schedule of Passenger Trains Central Time.

Westward

	6 Pacific Ex	12 Mail	14 Fast Line	20 Chicago Ex	56 Accom	12 Sun
Pittsburgh lv	6 40	8 00	12 45			
Alliancear	9 10	8 38	4 30			
Canton lv	9 18	9 05	5 20			
Massillon	9 41	9 32	5 46			
Wooster	10 15	10 14	6 27			
Mansfield	12 25	11 11				
Crestline lv	1 15			1 30	5 00	
Lobrisonar	1 40			1 55	5 25	
Bucyrus				2 22	5 52	

It's a cold day for the housekeeper when *Pearline* gets left. Take *Pearline* from washing and cleaning and nothing remains but hard work. It shows in the things that are washed; it tells on the woman who washes. *Pearline* saves work, and works safely. It leaves nothing undone that you want done well; what it leaves undone, it ought not to do.

Beware of imitations. 263 JAMES PYLE, N.Y.

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LOCAL TIME CARDS

Standard Time.

G. H. & D.

TRAIN NO.	NORTH BOUND. ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
11		6:10 a. m
13	2:45 a. m.	2:50 a. m
2	8:35 a. m.	8:40 a. m
6	1:15 p. m.	1:35 p. m
8	5:50 p. m.	6:10 p. m
10 Stop at Lima	9:15 p. m.	
60 Sunday only	7:35 a. m.	7:40 a. m
62 Sunday only	10:30 p. m.	
	SOUTH BOUND.	
11		6:45 a. m
1	9:10 a. m.	9:30 a. m
5	12:25 a. m.	12:45 p. m
7	5:30 p. m.	6:05 p. m
9	2:20 a. m.	2:30 a. m
61 Sunday only		7:25 a. m
13 Stop at Lima	6:30 p. m.	

L. E. & W

	WEST BOUND. ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
1 Mail	9:35 a. m.	9:40 a. m
3 Express	2:05 a. m.	2:10 a. m
5 Accommodation	4:45 p. m.	
Minster accom'd'n		6:00 p m
Sunday Lake Special		9:30 p m
	EAST BOUND.	
6 Accommodation	7:20 a. m.	
4 Mail	1:30 p. m.	1:50 p. m
2 Express	7:20 p. m.	7:35 p. m
128 Minster accom	8:10 p. m.	

Sunday "Lake Special" train via L E & W Ry, due to leave Lima at 7 a m, has been discontinued

P., Ft. W. & C.

	EAST BOUND	
4		7:20 a. m
8		9:20 a. m
10		9:45 p. m
94		3:00 p. m
Local freight		6:25 a. m
	WEST BOUND.	
3		1:20 a. m
9		3:50 p. m
11		7:20 p. m
Local freight		1:45 a. m
		7:25 p. m

C. & A.

	WEST BOUND.	
Vestibule limited, daily for Chicago and the West		1:12 p. m
Pacific Express, daily for Chicago and the West		12:15 p. m
Express, daily except Sunday for Chicago and the West		9:10 a. m
		7:00 a. m
	EAST BOUND.	
Vestibule Limited		8:15 p. m
Express		3:00 a. m
Accommodation		2:02 p. m
		7:00 a. m

C. S.

	NORTH BOUND.	
No. 1	arr.	12:30 p. m
" 3	"	9:05 p. m
	SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 2	lve.	8:00 a. m
" 4	"	3:35 p. m

Trunks on Legs.

Stoop over, stand-on-the-floor trunks have had their day. They have given the world a lot of backaches, and the woman who has a Wandering Willy for a husband and boys at college will welcome the boxes that stand up to be packed. The upright trunk was brought out in the big size used for packing blankets and house linen. Now all sizes are made. Shut up, there are iron hoops, which are square, incidentally, on the ends; when they are pulled off up goes the trunk three or four feet, according to its depth. A large trunk is as high as a dressing-case, and a little shallow school trunk is higher than a chair when open. These iron braces do away with straps. Upright trunks are made in the box form, and also with trays, the entire depth. The prices are alike.

Heart disease, palpitation, pain in side, short breath, oppression, asthma, swollen ankles are cured by Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure. A new discovery by the eminent Indiana Specialist. Fine illustrated treatise free at Melville's Drug Store, or address The Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind. 5

Local.

Plenty at Mayo's all the time. tf

Plates that Play Waltzes.

An American lady living in London has lately received a most original wedding present, consisting of a musical dinner service. Each plate commences to play a tune when placed on the table, so that the great difficulty is to place every plate exactly at the same moment on the board, or else the discords are something indescribable. The soup plates all play marches, as at the beginning of dinner the guests are supposed to be serious, and other plates for different melodies, each succeeding course becoming merrier until the dessert plates arrive, which only play the maddest of dance music, the guests being supposed now to have lost their solemnity and to be of cheerful countenance.

To Clean Oilcloth.

Take a pail of clear, soft, lukewarm water and a nice soft piece of flannel. Wash the oilcloth and wipe very dry, so that no drop of water is left to soak into it. After washing and drying, if a cloth is wrung out of dish of skim milk and water and the oilcloth is rubbed over with this and then again well dried, the freshness and luster of the cloth will well repay the extra labor.

NATURAL GAS RATES

Which the Company Will Enforce on and after October First.

Schedule of rates to be charged for natural gas by meter and mixer measurement, to take effect October 1st, 1894:

COOKING STOVES FOR DOMESTIC USE FROM OCT. 1ST TO MAY 1ST.

	Monthly charges.	Discount.	If paid before the 10th charges.
No. 7 mixer	$1 34	$0 44	$1 00
No. 6 mixer	1 20	0 39	1 00
FROM MAY 1ST to OCTOBER 1ST.			
No. 7 mixer	2 50	0 35	2 25
No. 6 mixer	2 22	0 22	2 00

Cooking stoves for hotels, restaurants and boarding houses, special rates will be made upon application at the office of the company.

LAUNDRY STOVES FOR DOMESTIC USE.			
No. 7 mixer	1 20	0 14	1 25
No. 6 mixer	1 11	0 11	1 00
HEATING STOVES FOR DOMESTIC USE.			
No. 7 mixer	5 00	0 50	4 50
No. 6 mixer	3 89	0 39	3 50
HEATING STOVES FOR STORE ROOMS.			
No. 7 mixer	6 38	0 63	5 75
No. 6 mixer	5 17	0 51	4 66
ANNUAL RATES FOR STORE ROOMS.			
No. 7 mixer			$21 00
No. 6 mixer			24 00

Payments to be made in six equal monthly payments, commencing October 1st.

ANNUAL RATES ON COOK AND HEATING STOVES FOR DOMESTIC USE.

No. 5 cook and No. 5 heater	$24 00
No. 5 Bicker	21 00
No. 7 heater	27 00

Payments for annual contracts are to be made in six equal monthly payments, commencing October 1st.

FURNACES.

No A mixer	37 78	3 78	37 00
No B mixer	9 41	0 94	8 50
No C mixer	10 55	1 05	9 50
No D mixer	11 11	1 11	10 00
No E mixer	13 33	1 33	12 00
No F mixer	15 55	1 55	14 00

ANNUAL RATE ON FURNACES.

No A mixer	$42 00
No B mixer	32 00
No C mixer	37 00
No D mixer	40 00
No E mixer	75 00
No F mixer	84 00

Payments to be made in six equal monthly payments, commencing October 1st.

Consumers desiring to use gas by meter measurement may do so at a charge of 20 cents per M cubic feet, provided they pay for the meter, which will be furnished by the company at cost; or at ordinance rate of 25 cents per M cubic feet the company will furnish the meter and the consumer pay the meter rental of $3 per annum, as provided in ordinance.

Special rates will be made on application at the office of the company for furnishing gas to steam boilers, heating large buildings, and for all connections not enumerated in the above schedule.

The company are now prepared to make monthly, annual or meter connections as per above schedule.

The company will require every consumer of gas to make a new contract with the company for the gas they expect to use. All persons who contemplate using gas this winter may save delay in getting mixers or meters connected by making their contract during the month of September.

THE LIMA NATURAL GAS CO.

A. M. Bally, a well known citizen of Eugene, Oregon, says his wife has for years been troubled with chronic diarrhœa and used many remedies with little relief until she tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, which has cured her sound and well. Give it a trial and you will be surprised at the prompt relief it affords. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville, druggist, postoffice building.

Raw Eggs as a Tonic.

A raw egg is an excellent tonic with which to begin these warm days. It is strengthening and tends to prevent that tired feeling so prevalent at this season of the year. If prepared in the following way, it is really a delicious drink: Put the yolk of an egg into a dish with a teaspoonful of white sugar and a teaspoonful of orange or lemon juice and beat lightly together with a fork. Put the white on a plate and add a pinch of salt. Then with a broad bladed knife beat it to a stiff froth. Now, as lightly as possible, mix all together in the dish. Then as lightly transfer it to a clean tumbler, which it will nearly fill if properly made. It must not stand in a warm place, as it soon becomes liquid and loses its snowy look. Any fruit juices may be used in place of orange or lemon, or even brandy if the doctor has ordered it.—New York Advertiser

If Mothers Only Knew

during summer time how many children are complaining of headache, feverishness and stomach troubles. If mothers only knew what Mother Gray's Sweet Worm Powders would do for their children, no family would ever be without them. Mother Gray's Sweet Worm Powders act on the liver, cleanse the stomach, cleanse the bowels, destroy worms, and are as harmless as milk. All druggists sell them for 25 cents. A trial package will be sent free to any mother. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

A Household Necessity.

No family should be without Foley's Colic and Diarrhœa Cure, for all bowel complaints. H. F. Vortkamp.

HOPE KILLS DESPAIR.

And Beautiful Results Surely Follow.

There is One Thing You Want Badly and Must Have.

Even if You Have Given Up Possessing it This will Give You Hope.

Neuralgia and nervousness are fearfully prevalent. There is no more painful disease than neuralgia. It indicates a diseased state of nerves and blood and the most terrible suffering is often present.

Most everybody is nervous, and this is more dangerous than most people think, for, as in the case of the well known S. W. Anderson, Esq., of Warren, Mass., it is very liable to lead to nervous prostration and paralysis, if not cured. He writes as follows about his wonderful recovery:

"Some time ago I was afflicted with nervousness and neuralgia. The pains I suffered were frightful. They commenced in my legs and arms and then went to my head and face. Finally I had a paralytic shock on my right side which laid me up completely.

"I continued suffering the most terrible agony from neuralgia and was nearly dead with pain. I took everything I ever heard of but got no better. I consulted four doctors but they did me no good. They said there was nothing but morphine pills that would help me.

"I took them for nearly a year and was no better, but began to get even worse. I heard of a skillful doctor in Worcester, Mass., and went there to see him. He said he could cure me in one week. I staid there three days and then went home.

"The day after I got home I was taken worse than ever I had been before and my suffering was more than I could endure.

MR. S. W. ANDERSON.

"I continued to grow worse every day all through the fall and winter, then I became so bad that I had the pain almost constantly, and I could not have lived but a very short time longer if help had not been very close at hand.

"My wife saw the advertisement of Dr. Greene's nervura blood and nerve remedy and she wanted me to use it. Having heard it very highly spoken of I decided to try it although I had made up my mind I was about through with this world.

"The first bottle I took stopped the pain entirely and my improvement was steady and sure from that time until I was cured. I could not have lived more than a week longer if I had not taken Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

"I am thankful to God for this medicine, it is the best remedy that ever came before the public. I thank Dr. Greene and I hope that he will be rewarded here in this world and the world to come.

"I am constantly recommending it and shall always continue to. I advise everybody to take this most wonderful medicine for it will make them strong, healthy and vigorous."

You *must* have health. You *want* to be strong and well. Then why don't you take this greatest of all medicines, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy? It will surely cure you. Try it.

It is recommended and used by physicians because it is the discovery and prescription of that most successful specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th Street, New York. The Doctor is consulted with by physicians themselves, in regard to nervous and chronic diseases, and all may have his advice free by calling or writing.

SABBATH SERVICES.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Regular services to-morrow. Rev. J. Francis Davies will preach at 10 a. m., and lecture at 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 11:30. Young People's Meeting at 6 p. m. All welcome. Good music and seats free.

MAIN STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 8 a. m., preaching at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Paul's Epistle to Philemon." Evening subject: "The Short Triumph of the Wicked."—an old truth, with a present application. (Job 20, 4-5.) Third Street Mission School at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. Gospel service at 7:30 Thursday evening. Junior C. E. at 2 p. m. Saturday. A cordial welcome to all.

W. G. SMITH, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

The services for Sabbath morning will be of unusual interest and profit. Let no member of the church or congregation be absent from this service. The Sunday school will follow at 11:30. B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m. No evening service.

W. E. FREEMAN, Pastor.

C. E. CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Special session of quarterly conference Monday evening at 7:30. Y. P. C. U. Tuesday evening. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. As this will be our first sabbath in the new year, we trust all the members will be present at the morning service.

I. IMLER, Pastor.

EAST LIMA MISSION.

Corner High and Cemetery streets. Sunday school at 3 p. m. All interested in mission work are invited.

MARKET STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. R. J. Thomson pastor, will preach. Subject at 10 a. m., "Early Training and Old Age." At 7 p. m., lessons from the life of Joseph—subject, "Favoritism in the Family and Elsewhere." Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E at 6 p. m. All worshippers are cordially welcome to all the services.

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH.

Class, 9 a. m. Preaching 10 a. m., "The Seen and the Unseen," and at 7 p. m., "The Perils of City Youth." Bible school 2 p. m. Epworth League 6 p. m. All members requested to write name and address on a card for new church record, and to drop same in the basket.

J. H. BETHARDS, Pastor.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH,

Tanner street, Rev. J. H. Hunton, pastor. Services on the Lord's day, September 9th, as follows: Sunday school 9 a. m.; worship and sermon 10:15 a. m.; Young People's Luther Society 6:30 p. m. Seats free and all are welcome.

CHRIST CHURCH.

West street. Divine service to-morrow at 10 a. m. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. All teachers and scholars requested to be present. Short musical service in the evening at 7:30. All cordially invited.

C. B. Crawford, Pastor.

HE WAS A DAISY.

But as a Reporter He Made an Awful Blunder on a Big Scoop.

"As funny a thing as I ever knew of in the newspaper business," said the reformed reporter, "was the way Sandy McLean gave the Chicago Tribune a scoop. Now, Sandy, to my way of thinking, is the best reporter in Chicago. He was a lawyer once, and a mighty good one, but he saw that the law had no such opportunities as the newspaper business, and he came to Chicago from the town town where he was practicing and began work on one of the big dailies. He hadn't been there a week before the managing editor realized that he had a star, and Sandy was given every opportunity to make himself a name.

"He made it too. He was put on big story after big story and beat every other reporter in the city. After a time he got to The Tribune and kept up his brilliant work. He was with The Tribune for a long time. The Herald and other papers wanted him, but Sandy stuck to The Tribune. He got a bit free and gay, but the old man put up with him. Finally patience ceased to be a virtue, and one day Sandy drifted into the office only to be told that they thought they might be able to get out a paper without him if they hustled.

"He went out whistling gayly and walked over to The Herald office. He told them The Tribune people had just fired him and asked for a job. The Herald was too glad to get him. They snapped him up right away. The next day Sandy reported for an assignment. The city editor of The Herald put him on a big story he had been keeping on the ice for awhile and told Sandy that it was exclusive.

"Sandy went out and got the facts. He found that he was the first and only newspaper man who knew anything about the tale, and it was a corker. He started back to the office to write it up. He had been so used to going to The Tribune office that he mechanically got off the car there and walked up into the local room. He sat down at his old desk, wrote the story and handed it to the city editor. The city editor saw that the story was sensational, put a scare head on it and ran it on the first page. The Tribune was the only paper that had it, and Sandy did not wake up to what he had done until he had got a note from The Herald city editor next morning calling him all sorts of names and discharging him. He got back on The Tribune, though, and he's there yet."—Buffalo Express.

In Memoriam.

In memory of Mrs. Clara Vermilion, wife of Findlay Vermilion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Comer.

This young sister, aged 18 years and 7 months, died in the triumph of living faith in Christ Jesus: this daughter and wife was a member of the Christian Church. On the morning of the 30th of August, 1894, I was called to the bedside of the deceased for a word of prayer, after which I asked her how it looked beyond the grave; if she felt it was all right between her and the Savior. After a moments thought she unreservidly said, "It is all right. I am ready to go," with a lovely smile which was not of this world. She then said, "Oh the beautiful light," another angelic smile followed and her spirit passed triumphantly into the arms of the Blessed Redeemer. She leaves a lovely little babe which will never know the worth of a mother's love, and a husband who deeply mourns her loss, with a great number of other loved ones and friends.

MISS NETTA RICHARDSON.

Home and Abroad.

It is the duty of every one, whether at home or traveling for pleasure or business, to equip himself with the remedy which will keep up strength and prevent illness, and cure such ills as are liable to come upon all in every day life. Hood's Sarsaparilla keeps the blood pure and less liable to absorb the germs of disease.

Hood's Pills are hand made, and perfect in proportion and appearance. 25c per box.

See our school shoes. O'Brien, 138 N. Main. 8-2t

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DREADFUL PSORIASIS

Covering Entire Body with White Scales. Suffering Fearful. Cured by Cuticura.

My disease (psoriasis) first broke out on my left cheek, spreading across my nose, and almost covering my face. It ran into my eyes, and the physician was afraid I would lose my eyesight altogether. It spread all over my head, and my hair all fell out, until I was entirely bald-headed; it then broke out on my arms and shoulders, until my arms were just one sore. It covered my entire body, my face, head, and shoulders being the worst. The white scales fell constantly from my head, shoulders, and arms; the skin would thicken and be red and very itchy, and would crack and bleed if scratched. After spending many hundreds of dollars, I was pronounced incurable. I heard of the CUTICURA REMEDIES, and after using two bottles CUTICURA RESOLVENT, I could see a change; and after I had taken four bottles, I was almost cured; and when I had used six bottles of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, one box of CUTICURA, and one cake of CUTICURA SOAP, I was cured of the dreadful disease from which I had suffered for five years. I cannot express with a pen what I suffered before using the REMEDIES. They saved my life, and I feel it my duty to recommend them. My hair is restored as good as ever, and so is my eyesight.

MRS. ROSA KELLY, Rockwell City, Iowa.

CUTICURA WORKS WONDERS

Everything about these wonderful skin cures, blood purifiers and humor remedies, inspires confidence. They afford instant relief and speedy cure of the most torturing and disfiguring of itching, burning, scaly, skin and scalp diseases. They cleanse the blood and skin of every eruption, impurity and disease, and constitute the most effective treatment of modern times.

Sold throughout the world. Price, CUTICURA, 50c.; SOAP, 25c.; RESOLVENT, $1. POTTER DRUG AND CHEM. CORP., Sole Proprietors, Boston.

"How to Cure Skin Diseases," mailed free.

PIMPLES, blackheads, red and oily skin prevented and cured by CUTICURA SOAP.

IT STOPS THE PAIN.

Backache, kidney pains, weakness, rheumatism, and muscular pains relieved in one minute by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster. 25c.

EXCURSION NOTICES.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT, G. A. R.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 8th to 15th. For this occasion the L. E. & W. railway will sell excursion tickets from Lima to Pittsburg and return at the very low rate of $6.

Tickets will be on sale September 5th to 15th, good for return passage until September 25th. For further information call on the L. E. & W. ticket office. d&w J. O. BEACH.

HOME SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

To the west, southwest and northwest via L. E. & W. R. R., Sept. 11th, 25th and Oct. 9th, 1894.

On above dates the L. E. & W. R. R. will sell round trip tickets at very low rates to points in Kansas, Nebraska, Southwest Missouri, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Montana, Northwestern Iowa, North and South Dakota, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma and Texas.

The L. E. & W. R. R. is the shortest and best line to the west, and the only line that can give reclining chair cars free of extra charge between Lima and Kansas City. For further information call at L. E. & W. ticket office.

J. C. BEACH,
Ticket Agent.

G. A. R., ATTENTION!

Comrades, the password to the G. A. R. National Encampment is "Pennsylvania Lines," and the countersign is "Look at the Map." Get it right and you will have no trouble, no inconvenience in your journey. There is only one railway over which regular trains and through cars run from your locality direct to Pittsburgh and back again; there is only one shortest and best route; there is only one system of railways extending from all parts of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana to Pittsburg. Any reliable railway map will prove that these advantages are possessed only by the Pennsylvania Lines. This is the only thoroughfare from your station to Pittsburgh under one management. It will be great fun going to the Encampment in special cars and special trains with bands and flying colors. But how about getting back when the great crowd breaks up and makes the rush for home. Think about it. It's likely you'll feel tired at the close of Encampment week and not care to spend any more hours on the road or change cars oftener than is necessary on the return journey. Take the Pennsylvania Lines.

B. H. OYLER, Ticket Agent,
Lima, O.

LAND SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

Via the C., H. & D. R. R. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad will run six Land Seekers' Excursions to all points in the South at rate of one fare for the round trip on August 7th, Sept. 4th, Oct. 2nd, Nov. 6th and Dec. 4th. Tickets good returning within twenty days from date of sale.

For tickets and other information, call on any C., H. & D. R. R. ticket agent, or address

D. G. EDWARDS,
G. P. A., C., H. & D. R. R.,
Carew Bldg., Cincinnati, O.

W. R. C.

Excursion to Xenia, O., September 20. Rate for round trip only $2.00, via C H & H R R.

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THE C H & D R R

Will run three Home Seekers excursions to the West and Southwest at very low rates, September 11, 25, and October 9.

d&w H. I. MCGUIRE, Agent.

G. A. R. SPECIAL TRAIN.

To Pittsburg, over the Fort Wayne route, Monday, September 10th. For the accommodation of G. A. R. veterans and friends who may desire to attend the National Encampment, the Pennsylvania Company will run a Special Fast Train to Pittsburg next Monday, Sept. 10th. This train will stop at Lima for passengers to the Encampment at 10:15 a. m. and will run as the second section of the Ohio Official Headquarters train, carrying Department Commander E. B. Nutt and staff and the Headquarters Band. Pittsburg will be reached in time for supper, about 5 p. m. All veterans and friends are cordially invited to go on this train as an escort to Department Commander Nutt and staff. Information regarding the low rate and first class accommodations may be obtained by applying to

B. H. OYLER, Ticket Agent.

WYANDOT COUNTY FAIR—EXCURSIONS VIA UPPER SANDUSKY VIA PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

Sept. 11th to 14th, excursion tickets to Upper Sandusky, account the Wyandot County Fair, will be sold from Mansfield, Lima and intermediate stations on the Pennsylvania Lines; return coupons valid Saturday, Sept. 15th, inclusive.

d&w B. H. OYLER, Ticket Agent.

SHELBY COUNTY FAIR.

At Sidney. The C H & D R R will sell round trip tickets, September 18 to 21; good returning September 22. Rate only $1. d&w

If you are going to make a trip, no matter in what direction, it will be to your interest to call at Ohio Southern office, 75 Public Square, before deciding what route you will travel.

Thousand mile books, good over 37 of the best roads in the country, on sale at all stations for $20. d&w

MIAMI COUNTY FAIR.

At Troy, O. The C H & D R R will sell excursion tickets, September 24 to 28; good returning September 29th; only $1.60 for the round trip. d&w

A Pretty Afternoon Dress.

A pretty mauve crepon, streaked with lilac, has a blouse bodice, which opens over a soft white chiffon vest. The lace insertion which trims the skirt finishes the edges on either side of the vest, and forms the belt and collar; and has an irregular scalloped edge which makes it much more effective than the ordinary insertion, which makes a straight line. The sleeves have a large puff at the top, and one band of lace follows the seam from the puff to the waist.

Irving W. Larimore, physical director of Y. M. C. A., Des Moines, Iowa, says he can conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm to athletes, gymnasts, bicyclists, foot ball players and the profession in general for bruises, sprains and dislocations; also for soreness and stiffness of the muscles. When applied before the parts become swollen it will effect a cure in one half the time usually required. For sale by Melville, druggist, postoffice building.

The Mirror of Fashion.

A brownish pink called clover color, flax flower blue, dull green and cyclamen are among the most fashionable colors.

Velvet is being made up as a trimming in such quantities as to warrant the belief that it is an advanced fall style. And there is nothing prettier or more becoming in the whole category of trimmings.

Black ribbon, satin and moire, is used a great deal on all gowns. Even very light colored crepons, ginghams and percales have belts, bows and ends of black ribbon. The contrast is, while striking from its novelty, very effective, particularly on wash gowns.

The newest waistcoats for wearing with open coats are made from brown Holland thickly embroidered down the front with fawn color and white flax threads.

Madam, your attention, please. Do you expect to dye this season? We mean will you dye any stockings, carpet rags, cloaks, dresses, feathers, or anything; for if you intend to, we are anxious to have you dye with Magic Dyes. They are easy to use and we believe them superior to most other brands. Carpet weavers who have used them say they give more durable colors which don't crock or fade like others. They color cotton, wool, etc., with same package, thus doing better work on *mixed* goods. Although the packages are larger and color about double the goods, we sell them at 10 cents, same as other brands. Sold by Edman & Stout, Lima.

Truths Tersely Told.

"Foley's Honey and Tar is one of the standard medicines used in the Working Women's Home Association, at 21 South Peoria street, Chicago."

DR. BLINN, Med. Supt.

"Foley's Honey and Tar gives the best satisfaction here."

C. F. BICKHAUS, Roseland, Ill.

"My customers call for Foley's Honey and Tar when wanting a good cough syrup."

J. H. KUSSE, Easton, Ohio.

For sale by H. F. Vortkamp.

Buckles.

Buckles of filligree or silver gilt are chosen for the thick ribbed belts worn with shirt waists of silk, madras, cheviot, etc. Those of bright silver are by many preferred to gold for wearing with dark belts, while the gold buckles are effective with white belts. Square and diamond shaped buckles are newer than the oval buckles used last year and are worn rather small since narrow belts are in vogue. A pretty slide of the filligree silver holds the ribbon in place.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no money required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Melville Bros.

Ladies of the Golden Eagle.

Next Wednesday evening the organization of a Temple of the Ladies of the Golden Eagle will take place in the Knights hall in the Mitchell block. Sir Knights and their lady relatives and friends over sixteen years of age are eligible to membership.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charles L. Kahler, a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had bad colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest drug store. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by Melville, druggist, postoffice building.

Men's $3.00 shoes for $1.25. O'Brien, 138 N. Main. 8-2t

The Best is Cheapest.

Foley's Sarsaparilla is from three to ten times stronger in blood cleansing qualities than any other proprietary medicine. Trial size, 50c. H. F. Vortkamp.

Funeral Director J. E. Grosjean

Is now occupying his new undertaking rooms in the Boone block, 114 West Market street, next door to the gas office. The office is open day and night and all calls will be promptly and carefully attended to. 270-tf

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment is a certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Granulated Eye Lids, Sore Nipples, Piles, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum and Scald Head, 25 cents per box. For sale by druggists.

TO HORSE OWNERS.

For putting a horse in a fine healthy condition try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders. They tone up the system, aid digestion, cure loss of appetite, relieve constipation, correct kidney disorders and destroy worms, giving new life to an old or over worked horse. 25 cents per package. For sale by druggists.

A Suspended City.

A suspended city is a wonder of Glacier bay, Alaska. This curious phenomenon is seen regularly after full moon in June and in no other time. It is said to be a beautiful mirage of some unknown city suspended directly over the bay. A photographer has taken pictures of it four times, but no one has been able to identify one of the ghostly buildings outlined.—Philadelphia Press

DON'T TOBACCO SPIT OR SMOKE YOUR LIFE AWAY

Is the truthful, startling title of a little book that tells all about No-to-bac, the wonderful harmless, *Guaranteed* tobacco habit cure. The cost is trifling, and the man who wants to quit and can't runs no physical or financial risk in using "No-to-bac." Sold by Jno. P. Harley.

Book at store or by mail free. Address The Sterling Remedy Co Indiana Mineral Springs Ind.

THE SECRET of BEAUTY AT LAST WE HAVE FOUND IT.

HARK YE Women with faces disfigured by Freckles, Pimples, Tan, Sunburn, Eczema, Acne, and other hideous blemishes!

These barriers to wealth and happiness, which have hitherto been regarded as impassable, will be swept aside like chaff, and you will be accorded the palm of beauty, if you will only use that greatest of all remedies for preserving and beautifying the complexion—

Empress Josephine Face Bleach.

This wonderful preparation, the discovery of an eminent French chemist, is praised and recommended by the society ladies of every civilized land.

The trial of a single bottle will convince you that in this remarkable lotion you have found the secret of true beauty. Every bottle is guaranteed to do exactly as represented. PRICE, - - - 75c.

Dear Madam:
This ticket entitles you to a sample cake of Empress Josephine Face Soap with your first purchase of a bottle of Empress Josephine Face Bleach, provided the same is bought within ten days.
Respectfully,
Melville Bros., druggists, next to Postoffice.

30 Years' experience in stove making has taught us how to make a stove as it should be made. 30 years' testing of Jewel Stoves and Ranges has convinced the people that we know how to make the best. They are artistic in design, perfect in construction, economical in operation, moderate in price. Made in all styles and sizes. Ask to see them at the dealers. If you are not a judge of stoves, the above trade mark will prevent you from making a mistake.

JEWEL STOVES AND RANGES
DETROIT STOVE WORKS
LARGEST STOVE PLANT IN THE WORLD

The First National Bank,
LIMA OHIO.

Capital $100,000
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In addition to its commercial business, this bank has opened a SAVINGS DEPARTMENT, where deposits of $1.00 and upwards will be received and interest paid. Small accounts solicited.

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The Metropolitan Bank,
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No. 330 North Main Street, Metropolitan Block.

Transacts a General Banking Business.

Special attention given to the business of depositors. Collections promptly made. Deposit your earnings in the

SAVINGS DEPOSIT DEPARTMENT
Of this Bank, and have
INTEREST PAID ON YOUR MONEY.

Deposits will be received of sums of $5 each and over. Semi-annually interest will be compounded to depositors unless notice to the contrary is given to the bank not to add to the deposit.

Sexine Pills STORE LOST VIGOR

Before and After Using.

New discovery. Will brace you up in a week. Sold with WRITTEN GUARANTEE to Cure Nervous Debility, Loss of Sexual Power in either sex, Involuntary Emissions from any cause. If neglected, such troubles lead to consumption or insanity. $1.00 per box by mail, 6 boxes for $5. With every $5 order we give a written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Sold by PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

For sale by Melville Bros., next door to postoffice.

EVERY WOMAN

Sometimes needs a reliable, monthly, regulating medicine, and the purest drugs should be used. Harmless and Reliable.

Dr. Peal's Pennyroyal Pills

They are prompt, safe and certain in result. Three dollars per box. Sent anywhere, $1.00. Address PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, O.

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RESTORED MANHOOD DR. MOTT'S NERVERINE PILLS

BEFORE AND AFTER USING.

The great remedy for nervous prostration and all nervous diseases of the generative organs of either sex, such as Nervous Prostration, Failing or Lost Manhood, Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Youthful Errors, Mental Worry, excessive use of Tobacco or Opium, which lead to Consumption and Insanity. With every $5 order we give a written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Sold at $1.00 per box, 6 boxes for $5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

Sold by H. F. Vortkamp, 140 North Main Street.

DO YOU WANT

The finest tooth powder and tooth brush in the market? Also your decayed and broken down teeth built up with gold and porcelain crowns? If so, join the crowd and come to the finest equipped office in Lima and try our painless methods and get fine work at reasonable prices. Special prices on gold crowns next week. Lady in attendance. Vitalized air free.

DR. D. H. SULLIVAN,
The Albany Dentist.
Over Bell's Dry Goods Store.

NO. 54

East Side Public Square. First-class Barber Shop. Ladies' and Children's Haircutting done to order.

A. G. LUTZ, Proprietor.

MONEY TO LOAN.

I have money to loan on city and farm property at 6 per cent. interest.

Privilege given to pay principal in payments if desired. Those wishing to borrow money will do well to call on me.

T. K. WILKINS,
Room 20 Opera block. Lima, Ohio.
3-11-6m (Take elevator)

For Sale Cheap,

Lots on West Street, in Coulson Heirs' addition.

Enquire of BEN COULSON,
6-12-1m

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DRESS GOODS

For some time past we have been scouring the markets for Bargains in the most desirable styles of Dress Goods, and now we place on sale the Grandest Aggregation of New Fall Styles at

PRICES NEVER BEFORE EQUALED.

For Example:

Lot of Fine Fancy Worsteds at

58c a Yard;

Were imported to retail at $1.25.

Our table of Dress Goods at

50c a Yard

Is a revelation to buyers, and you will be astonished to see such elegant goods at such a moderate price.

FALL HATS

CORRECT STYLES.

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The Lima Times-Democrat.

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OUNTING ROOM, 221 NORTH MAIN ST.

TELEPHONE CALL, No. 84.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

Charley King's pacer Erwin took second money at Napoleon yesterday afternoon.

A case of typhoid fever is reported from the Bogardus residence, South Union street.

The awning of Bowers' bakery was demolished during the rain and wind storm yesterday afternoon.

The funeral services of Fred Romer will be held from St. Rose's church Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Christ church (Episcopal) Sunday school will open again to-morrow. Session after morning service.

The 15 annual reunion of the 57th O. V. V. I. will be held at Harrod, Allen county, Ohio, Sept. 18th and 19th, 1884.

The funeral services of Mrs. F. M. Dotson will be held from the Spring Street Lutheran church to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

The case of assault and battery against John Haines, which was set for a hearing before the mayor at 9 o'clock this morning was continued until this evening.

About 11 o'clock last night two men were detected in making an attempt to enter the office of the Lima Beef Co., East Wayne street. They were frightened away.

Miss Eda Ballard entertained the Kooking Klub last evening in honor of the departing members. Miss Agerter goes back to Wooster, Miss Bradley to Piqua, Miss Chesebro to Sewickley, Pa., Miss Rielly to Cleveland, while Chicago will have three more, Misses Brotherton, Hughes and Frances, who will all attend school there this year.

The scrofulous taint which may have been in your blood for years, may be thoroughly expelled by giving Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and are Going.

Mr. J. H. Hall is in Columbus, on business.

Ed Townsend and family are visiting in St. Paris, O.

J. H. Copp is visiting his brother, Chas. Copp, in Oregon.

Chris Widner and wife have returned from New York.

Mrs. Ed Wise and children are home from a visit in Michigan.

Mrs. J. N. Harrington and daughter are home from Petosky, Mich.

Mrs. I. S. Motter and baby are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Orr, at Piqua.

Mr. Wm. Irish and wife are home from a month's stay with relatives at Olead, N. Y.

Rev. W. E. Freeman left this morning for Pittsburg to attend the G. A. R. Encampment.

Mrs. Perry Tadinger, of South Jackson street, is visiting friends in Beaver Falls, Pa.

Mrs. Joseph White, of West McKibben street has returned from a visit in Cleveland.

Mrs. Frank Long, of South Pine street, has been called to Bluffton by the death of her neice.

Mr. Chas. Crockett and wife, of West Market street, are spending a month at Bay View, Mich.

Misses Sanford, Sarter and Jones spent the day with Mrs. Gus Marmon in Bath township.

Ainsworth Kahle, after spending his vacation with his parents in Franklin, Po., has returned home.

Mrs. G. A Webster and daughter Minnie returned last night from a visit in Columbus and Springfield.

Mrs. McKendrick Hill spent the week with her numerous relatives in Lima and returned to Lafayette to-day.

Miss Sallie Cross, of 932 South Elizabeth street, is home from Canton, where she has been visiting all summer.

Mr. Norman Steyer and wife, of Oswego, N. w., are the guests of Sylvester Miller and family, of West Wayne street.

Mr. William Sprague and wife have returned from a month's visit with relatives and friends in Le Roy and Westfield, N. Y.

Mrs. V. Ashby, of West North street, left this morning for a month's visit with friends and relatives in Forest and vicinity.

Miss Winnifred Sullivan has gone to Buffalo, N. Y., where she has been engaged permanently to sing in a church at a handsome salary.

Miss Clara Backenstos returned to her home in Fostoria yesterday after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Al Berry, of West Wayne street.

Miss Cooper, of Lexington, Ky., is visiting her cousin, Miss Susan Humston, of West Spring street.

Harry Rumple has gone to Columbus, to remain the rest of the year.

Mrs. C. G. Coss and daughter, Miss Helen, have returned from an eastern trip.

Mrs. Higbee, of North West street, accompanied by her granddaughter Bertha Borges, left this week for a visit in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Alf Wheeler and wife are at present enjoying the cool breezes at St. Johns, New Brunswick, where they will remain a month.

Mrs. Walter W. Woolery and son Paul, of South Pine street, returned this afternoon from De Valls, Ark., after a four months' visit with her parents.

"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

D. Bell's. D. Bell's. D. Bell's.

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DRESS GOODS.

For some time past we have been scouring the markets for bargains in the most desirable style of dress goods, and now we place on sale the grandest aggregation of new fall styles at PRICES NEVER BEFORE EQUALED. For example a lot of fine fancy worsteds at 58c a yard; were imported to retail at $1.25. Our table of Dress Goods at 50c a yard is a revelation to buyers, and you will be astonished to see such elegant goods at such a moderate price.

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"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

"Jane."

The humor of "Jane" comes from two sources: French and English and its joint authorship has resulted happily. Its humor is of a wholesome kind and its situations are spontaneous and mirth provoking. Its story is a simple one and takes but eight characters to skilfully unfold it so that the auditor is not bothered by complexities. The better class of amusement goers will find excellent recreation Monday evening at the Opera House when the merry comedy will be presented by a cast of capable experienced players.

GLOVERS & WINTERS'

First Fall Opening of Millinery Begins

Tuesday, September 11th, and continues throughout the week. You are cordially invited to call and inspect our styles and prices of goods throughout. Trimmed work a specially. Our aim as ever before is to please all at

9-2t 113 and 115 East High Street.

"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

O'Brien for shoes. 138 N. Main. 8-2t

"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

BASE BALL NOTES.

It looks as though Baltimore would win the pennant.

Breen is the best third base man ever seen on the home grounds.

The local fans are waiting for the 21st to come around as Lima will play Brooklyn.

Lima plays Findlay to-morrow, and it is expected Lima will win, as the club is very strong now.

Kenton was shut out yesterday by Findlay. Dewald, formerly of Cleveland, allowed them only three hits.

Kid Faurot has one of the best records of any pitcher in the league. He has won twelve out of fifteen games.

Zeigler is a great player. He is a good all-round player and a good stickler. In every game he has played he has several hits to his credit.

Capt. Donovan is the coolest headed ball player in the team; and can play in almost any position. In Thursday's game he went in center field and made several neat catches of short flies, which seemed impossible to get.

Strength and Health.

If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c., at Melville Bros.' Drug Store.

"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

Mrs. Wheeler's Froebel Kindergarten

Will open Monday morning, September 10th, in the lecture rooms of the Lutheran church, corner Spring and Pierce streets. This location is central, rooms pleasant and well arranged for the Kindergarten work.

w-th-s

Pastors' Union.

The pastors of the city are requested to meet in the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 10 a. m. Monday, Sept. 10, to arrange work for the year.

J. H. BETHARDS.

Give our Stock

A thorough inspection, and see how cheap we will sell you first-class, reliable dry goods. It will surprise you. FELTZ BRO'S & CO.

9-2t 1st door N. of court house.

"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

Swimming School Will Keep Open.

By request, Johnson's Swimming School will keep open about two weeks longer. 9-2t

"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

INTERESTING

Evidence at the Hallwood Injunction Trial.

Some New Facts Brought Out To-day.—Will be Continued Next Week.

The hearing of the motion made by Horne & Hallwood to dissolve the temporary injunction obtained by the people to prevent the execution of the contract awarded them by the council for the paving of the square at an excess of nearly $5,000, was begun late yesterday afternoon, as was announced in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT yesterday.

Solicitor Adgate and Attorney J. L. Price appeared for the city and Cable & Parmenter and Ridenour & Halfhill for the brick people. After an affidavit, signed by the nine councilmen, who denied attempted bribery etc., was presented by the plaintiffs, Messrs, Randolph Coleman, H. S. Hallwood and A. B Horne were sworn, and the former placed on the stand for the purpose of leaving him testify as to the merits of Hallwood block, when Attorney Price objected and there was a lengthy argument pro and con between all the attorneys, the court sustaining the objection.

It was about four o'clock, when City Clerk Lynch, the first witness, was placed on the stand. He testified to the council meetings, and about different resolutions.

Arthur M. Howe, of the Cincinnati *Tribune*: He told about meeting several of the councilmen on the day the contract was to have been let, among them Councilman Kemper. He then told how he approached Kemper in the Mecca saloon, and offered him $75 to help him get his brick in the square. Kemper told him he was not a $75 man, and that when he went into a thing of that kind there had to be more money in it. He said he was not a fellow who would tell on his friends. Howe then offered him $300 and Kemper told him there were two or three members of the council holding out, and if they were not satisfied the matter would go over, and if it was held over, he would see what he could do for Howe's brick. Howe inquired if Horne & Hallwood had offered him money, when he again asserted he was not a fellow to tell on his friends and told of how a certain councilman had told about a transaction that took place during the granting of an electric light franchise, in which he said all the councilmen were to receive $200, and how one of the fellows went and told it. Kemper told him it would take a good deal to get his (Howe's) brick before the council. Howe said there was a carpenter working on a door near where they were sitting, who afterwards told him he had heard a part of the conversation. His name was Myers. After a brief cross examination, court adjourned at 5:30 o'clock until 8:30 this morning.

At the resumption of the trial, this morning, city engineer Gamble took the stand and testified as to having made the different tests as prescribed in the specifications and gave the absorption tests of brick submitted by Empie, Horn and Hallwood and Merrigold. Mr. Gamble also testified to having met F. H. Gervie, representing the Hallwood block, about the time the bids were advertised for. He met him in April, Garvie visiting his office. Garvie told him they

WANTED THE ENGINEER'S INFLUENCE

in behalf of their block as it would go a great ways with the council, and for Gamble to set his price at so much a yard for the work and Garvie would see that he got it. Garvie told him they never forgot their friends. Garvie visited his home the evening before the council went to Columbus. This was the day following the opening of the bids. He wanted Gamble to go to Columbus with them. Gamble told him he did not approve of the plan after the bids were opened; and that he had too much work on hand. Garvie told him he was working too hard and ought to take a rest and that he offered to pay for a good man at $150 or $200 per month to take Gamble's place while he was gone and offered to put the money up then and there. Garvie told him that it would be Hallwood block when the council came back from Columbus—there would be no question about it. Witness said Garvie visited his office another time and walked part way home with him although he objected to it and told him if he had any business to transact with him to do so at his office. They separated at the west school building.

During Gamble's cross examination he stated that he was not a pronounced advocate of the Canton brick and was not and never had been prejudiced against the Hallwood block. His examination consumed over an hour.

Detective James Harley, councilman from the seventh ward, followed engineer Gamble and related about Horne and councilman Allen meeting him at the P. Ft. W. & C. depot. Allen introduced them and excused himself saying they wanted to have a private conversation. Horne talked to him about the merits of Hallwood block and asked Harley when he could see him and said he would write Foley and tell him when he could meet him. Witness said he did not know whether Foley received the letter or not. He said nothing to him about it. Harley then repeated the charges he made before the council and published in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT, about Horne meeting him on the street one evening and Horne told him he would give $75 for his influence and offering to pay him $20 then. Horne told him about the expense of taking the council to Columbus, giving them a royal time, and said they could not afford to pay very much, that they had nine men and wanted the tenth.

On cross examinatoin he stated he had met reporter Howe. Merrigold told him he was coming to Lima to look up the brick business. Harley said they talked over different members of the council and he told Howe that Kemper would be about as good a man to see and have a talk with. On cross examination Harley was more positive as to what Horne said.

I. G. Myers, the carpenter referred to by reporter Howe, was placed on the stand and testified to having been at work in the Mecca when Howe and Kemper were there but heard none of their conversation except the mention of $300. He was not cross examined.

H. Merrigold was placed on the stand next and said he was one of nidders and that he had put in a bid on Hallwood block. He had a number of conversations with Foley about his putting in a bid. He told me that Horne & Hallwood would get the contract. This was before the bids were opened and he gave the witness to understand that it would be useless for him to put in a bid. Merrigold said that Foley made the statements to him a number of times and told him that he (Merrigold) was the man that stood in his way in regard to getting the contract and he wanted him on their wagan as

THEY COULD USE HIM.

In deciding an objection to a question asked the witness by attorney Price, Judge Mooney decided that as the city was protected by bond from each bidder and the work required to be performed under certain specifications the council had no right to declare any bidder irresponsible.

Merrigold said, on his cross-examination, he did not tell Howe in Cincinnati that he had a job fixed up on some one here, and did not ask him to come to Lima.

Al Devoe, depot agent for the U. Express company, was sworn and stated that on August 13th, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon,, he saw Greenland, Chapin and Jackman go to Dietrich's place, near the C., H. & D. depot. Greenland and Chapin were walking together and Jackman walked behind. While they walked along the platform in front of the C., H. & D. depot Dietrich's youngest son approached Jackman and told him he had better hurry up, that they were waiting for him. Jackman quickened his pace and almost overtook Chapin and Greenland. They continued toward Dietrich's. About one hour later he saw Chapin, Greenland, Jackman and Kemper leave Dietrich's place. They did not leave together. Kemper walked down the platform and Devoe asked him if he had it all fixed. Kemper looked at him, winked and shook his head, but said nothing, and walked on by with a C., H. & D. car inspector. Kemper soon passed near Devoe again and said: "You keep your shirt on and keep your mouth shut."

Devoe didn't have time to ask him what he meant, but supposed he wanted him to keep quiet about the meeting at Dietrich's. Court then adjourned until 1 o'clock.

At the opening of the afternoon Wm. Kincaid took the stand. He is employed at the Lima Machine Works and testified that Mr. Hughes took nine brick to the shop and he

PUT THEM IN THE RATTLER

with several hundred pounds of cast iron and kept them there several hours. The corners of all of them were worn off and he could not see any difference between any of them. He regarded it as a good test. He was not cross-examined, and was succeeded by W. H. Standish, councilman from the sixth ward. He is a member of the paving committee. He said it was the opinion of the paving committee that the Canton brick were the best. The brick were all tested alike.

Adam Simons, the brick manufacturer, was next called. He had examined the samples in the engineer's office. He found the Canton brick to be the toughest. It didn't chip as easy as the others. It was harder to break the chips. In regard to Hallwood block he found it chipped easier and was coarser grain than the Canton. The latter was close and fine grain material and the other coarse.

B. O. Hitchcock was called and said that he had a conversation with Councilman Dexter Chapin a day or two after the councilmen came home from Columbus and that he (Hitchcock) told him he thought asphalt was the best as he had been to Detroit and saw it. Chapin told him it would be paved with Hallwood block or not at all.

J. R. Hughes, President of the Council, was next examined. He said he went on the trip to Columbus; got there at noon. The Hallwood people drove them about the city over different pavements. Were there until 9 o'clock the next day. He said they took supper at the club house and had a social time. He went out himself to look at the pavements. He found a street paved with Hayden block that had been down seven or eight years and was in good condition. He was not with the crowd after supper. Met them at the Neil house next morning and went to Dayton that day. While in Columbus he suggested going to Dayton as they had seen nothing but Hallwood and Hayden. The others said it wasn't necessary, they had seen all the brick they wanted to and would go to the horse races at Dayton while he looked at the pavements. Horne accompanied them and asked Mr. Hughes to go but he refused, saying he was there to look at the paving and not see horse racing. It was the understanding that all expenses was to be paid by the Hallwood people. He had tested all the samples and found the Canton brick as good as any. Canton brick stood the rattler test better than the Hallwood. Showed less wear.

The hearing will consume several days more.

Every farmer knows the folly of robbing his lands of virture and strength without restoring anything, but the same man may rob his nerve system of strength and vitality for years and then wonder why disease has fastened on *him*. To all such unthinking spendthrifts of nerve force Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer comes as a friend to build up and revitalize the impoverished nerves and restore health. Abundant nerve force insures perfect physical and mental health and Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer strengthens and makes nerve force. Sold by Edman & Stout, Lima.

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Gathering from the choicest and largest markets of the world new fall and winter Dry Goods, Cloaks and Millinery.

In a few days large consignments of them will begin to arrive.

Our counters are now covered, the shelves are full and with unopened boxes filling all the available space.

CROWDED AS WE ARE,

We are hustling to find room for all that is yet to come. THE RESULT IS, that the many bargains we have been delighting our customers with will be increased into a mighty torrent by the tributaries of new and special values; that we are now adding to the rivulet of bargains that flows steadily on with ever increasing force at THE METELLUS THOMSON DRY GOODS CO.

NOT A PARTICLE OF DIFFERENCE

Between our price advertised on paper and the bargains in our store. Every department has a story of its own to tell.

New Goods, Best Qualities and Low Prices Predominate Throughout Our Entire Stock.

Among the many inducements we are now offering WILL BE FOUND:

White Flannels, 25c quality for 15c a yard.

Bleached Madras for Curtains, 25c quality, 8c per yard.

Fast colors, Turkey Red Prints, 4 cents.

Good yard wide Muslin, 3 cents.

Sheeting Muslin, 2¼ yards wide, 15 cents.

Table Oil Cloth, 25c quality, 15 cents.

Pillow Case Muslin, full 1½ yards wide, for 10 cents a yard.

Brocaded, double faced Cotton Flannel, 25c quality for 15c.

Turkey Red Napped Dress Goods for fall and winter, 10c quality for 5 cents a yard.

Men's mixed top Shirts for winter wear, 65c quality for 35c.

Chenille Covers—pretty designs, large size, fringe all around; value, $1.50, for 89c.

Dress Serges in navy blue, brown, black, garnet and cardinal: regular 25c quality, special sale, 18c a yard.

2,000 yards fall and winter Dress Goods, one yard wide, at 5c a yard.

Not even war in China, with the Japs everlastingly peppering the life out of 'em, has anything to do with our prices on

CHINA SILKS,

Full widths, all colors, splendid qualities, for 15c a yard.

Ladies' Tandem Cloth, 1½ yards wide, pretty designs and curious weave, value 75c, for 48c a yard.

Ladies' two-thread, fast black Hose, seamless, extraordinary quality for 10c a pair.

Shirting Plaids for 3½c a yard.

Ladies' black Waverly Gauntlets for 10c a pair, former price, 25c.

Ladies' Linenese Gauntlets in colors, for 10c a pair, value 35c.

Ladies' black and colored Silk Gloves for 10c a pair, former price, 25c and 35c.

New Fall Goods Received Daily.

One Grand, Continuous Reception of New Goods.

Among one lot just received are the famous Hilton, Hughes & Co. line of new fall Dress Goods, COVERT CLOTHS, a dress goods which is destined to be very popular this fall and winter.

Elegant values in black and colored Serges, Broad Cloths, Changeable Silks, Ribbons, Kid Gloves, Purses and Dress Trimmings are also among the new arrivals.

THOUSANDS NOW IN USE.

The good sense Ferris Corset Waists for health, wear, comfort and finish.

Mothers buy them for their growing daughters—ladies wear them for health and comfort—perfect fit for all ages at special prices seldom offered.

The Ferris No. 229 Corset Waists, regular price 50c, for 35c.
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The Ferris No. 230 Corset Waists, regular price $1.25, for 89c.
The Ferris No. 262 Corset Waists, regular price $1.25, for 89c.
The Ferris No. 204 Corset Waists, regular price 50c, for 35c.
The Ferris No. 220 Corset Waists, regular price $1.00, for 75c.
The Ferris No. 223 Corset Waists, regular price $1.00, for 75c.
The Ferris No. 219 Corset Waists, regular price $1.75, for $1.15.

In our Cloak Department—One lot of Ladies' Jackets, nicely made, stylish design, whose value are $5, $6.50 and $7. This entire assortment now on sale at the low and attractive price of $2.98.

We extend an invitation to come and see us.

Your reasons for buying will be bargains.

THE METELLUS THOMSON DRY GOODS CO.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

Engine 122, of the L. E. & W., that struck a tree near Ft. Recovery night before last, has been repaired and is on the road again.

Day call boy Otis Diehl, of the L. E. & W., went to Sandusky this morning. Ed Paden is working in his place.

Conductor E. C. Sage, of the L. E. & W., has reported for work again, after laying off a couple of weeks with a sprained arm.

Brakeman Hutchinson, of the L. E. & W., has returned to work after laying off one trip.

Passenger conductor Collins, of the C., H. & D., is back on his run after several days lay off.

The Modern Beauty

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs.

Forced Through His Thumb.

This morning, while running a machine in the Monroe Manufacturing Co.'s mill, Elvin Arnold had a large, sharp pointed splinter run through his left thumb. Dr. Rudy was summoned, and the splinter removed.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

See the Elegant Assortment

Of new fall dress goods just received at Feltz's dry goods store, 1st door north of court house. 9-2t

The Old Reliable Shirt Man.

T. I. Barker at the Burnet House for one week. A phone or postal will receive prompt attention. 8-2t

Boys' shoes, sizes 2 to 5, for 98c. O'Brien, 138 N. Main. 8-2t

New Goods

In every department at Feltz's dry goods store, and prices were never so low for first-class, reliable goods as at present. 9-2t

"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

Look Out

For big bargains at G. E. Bluem's next week. 1t

See Those

$1.25 Dress Goods for 58c a yard at D. Bell's. s-m-w

If You Are Going To Buy a PAIR : OF : SHOES To-day, We Want To See You. It WILL PAY You To See Us.

WE ARE NOT IN THE TRUST.
...WE SELL FOR CASH...

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229 N. MAIN ST.

Don't Miss

Those Dress Goods for 58c, worth $1.25 at D. Bell's. s-m-w

PNEUMATICS.

Sim Stewart, who had his left leg injured in a fall near Ft. Recovery over a week ago, is having a severe time with the injured limb, and is compelled to use crutches.

Charley Devoe has sold his wheel and bought an Italian harp.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

One

Of the handsomest lines of novelty Dress Goods will be shown by G. E Bluem, next week, that Lima has ever seen. 1t

All $1.50 low shoes for 98c. O'Brien, 138 N. Main. 8-2t

"Shaft No. 2" to-night.

Our Line of Shoes,

Hardware and Tinware at prices to close at the Racket Store, opposite the court house. Open to 8 o'clock evening. 73-13t

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